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NEWSPRINT PAPERS**

REPORT FOR OCTOBER 1979

Estimated U.S. consumption of newsprint (seasonally adjusted) for October 1979 is 11,450,000 short tons. This is an increase of 4.7% over last year and 8.1% over the year 1977.

(Thousands of Tons)	SHORT TONS						METRIC TONS	
	OCTOBER			10 MOS. YEAR TO DATE			10 MOS. YEAR TO DATE	
	1978	1979	% Change	1978	1979	% Change	1978	1979
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS NORTH AMERICA								
Production	1,182	1,210	+ 2.4	11,300	11,363	+ 0.6	10,251	10,309
% of Capacity	97.3	97.0	- 0.3	96.9	95.6	- 1.3	96.9	95.6
Shipments	1,200	1,229	+ 2.3	11,313	11,345	+ 0.3	10,263	10,292
UNITED STATES								
Production	327	371	+13.6	3,137	3,388	+ 8.0	2,846	3,074
% of Capacity	91.0	97.1	+ 6.7	91.1	95.3	+ 4.6	91.1	95.3
Shipments	332	371	+11.6	3,147	3,386	+ 7.6	2,855	3,072
CANADA								
Production	855	839	- 1.8	8,163	7,975	- 2.3	7,405	7,235
% of Capacity	100	97	- 3.0	99	96	- 3.0	99	96
Shipments	868	858	- 1.2	8,166	7,959	- 2.5	7,408	7,220
U.S. Consumption								
(525) ANPA Newspapers	624	659	+ 5.7	5,813	6,055	+ 4.2	5,274	5,493
Estimated Total	958	1,023P	+ 6.8	8,869	9,271P	+ 4.5	8,046	8,411
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	840	644	-23.4	▨	▨	▨	762	584
North American Mills – Stocks	303	244	-19.7	▨	▨	▨	275	221

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P- Preliminary

In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., the U.S. Bureau of Census, Statistics Canada and Scannews.

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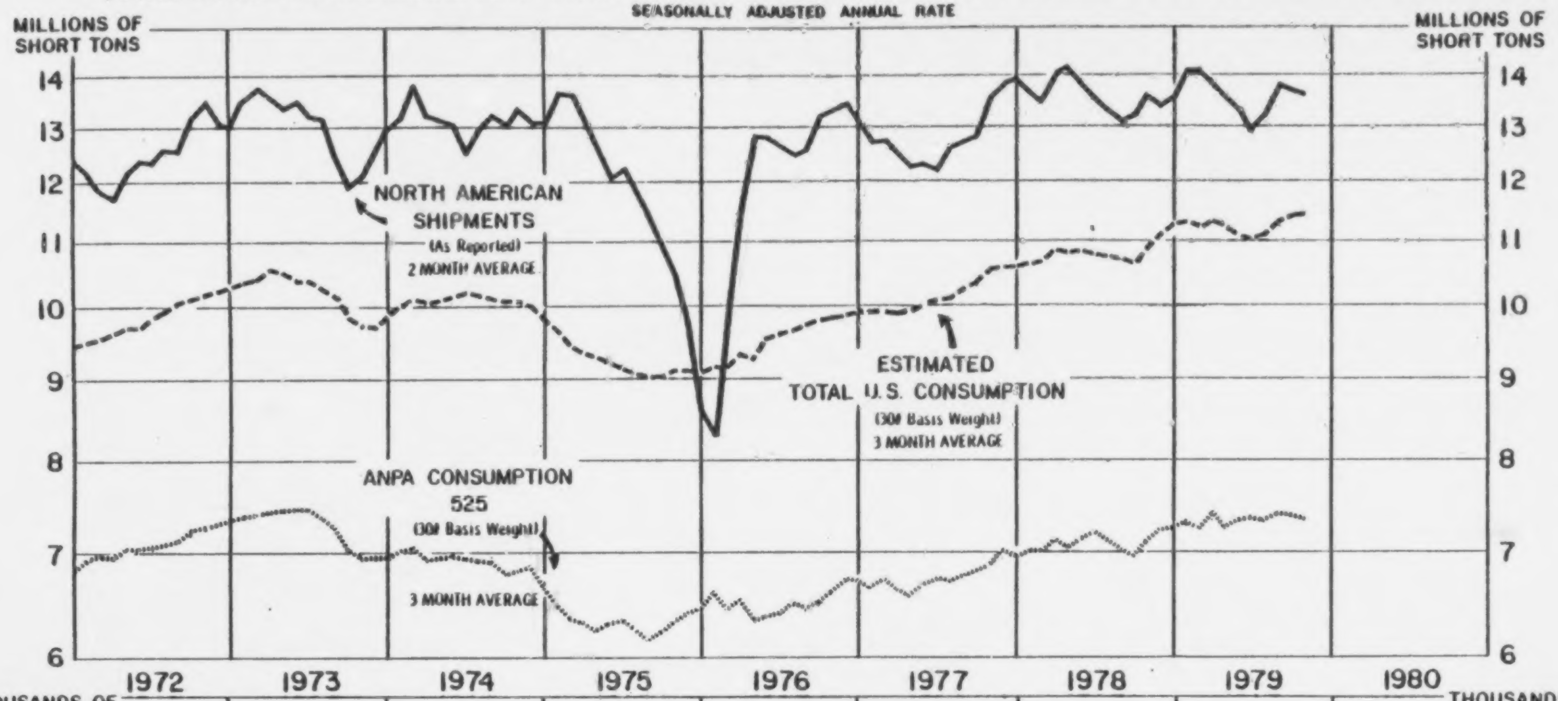
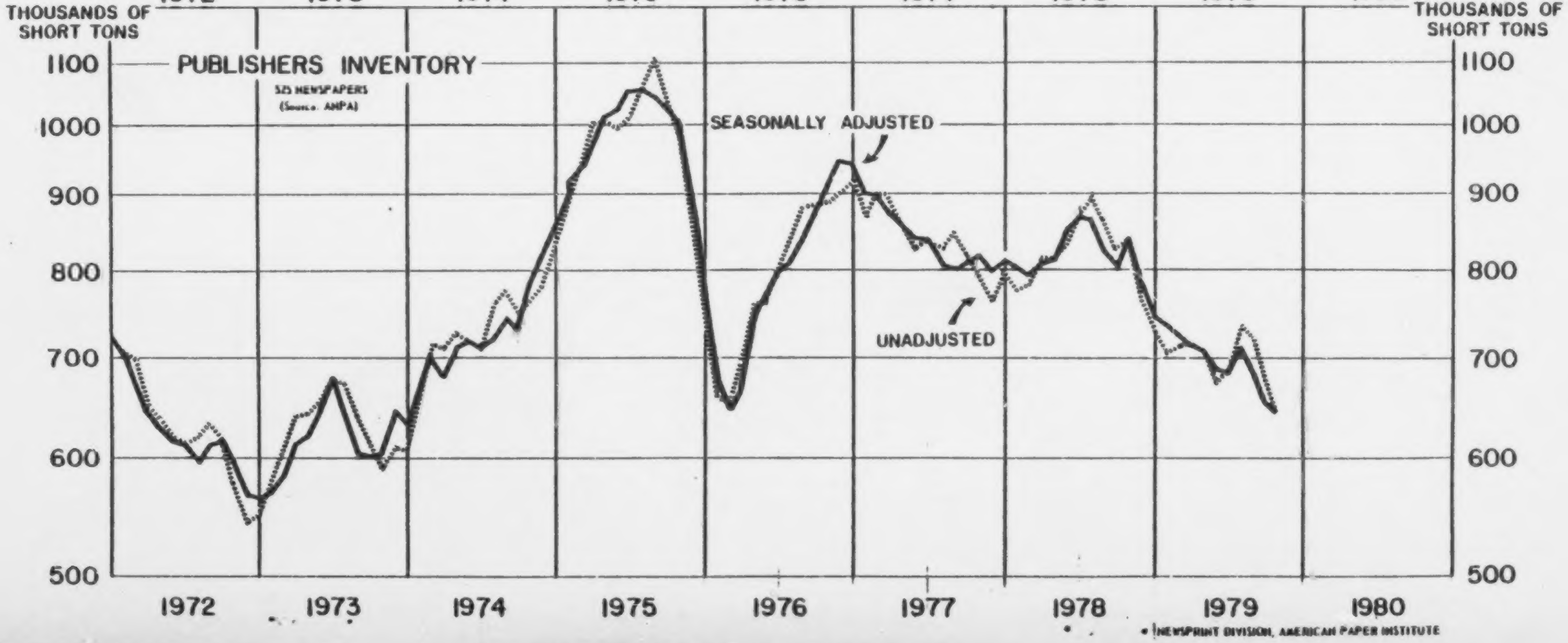
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE





* NEWSPRINT DIVISION, AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of short tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

NORTH AMERICA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory - End of Month			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,062.4	1,128.9	1,145.9	+ 1.5	971.1	1,029.9	1,097.3	+ 6.5	419.5	415.3	274.1	-34.0
FEBRUARY	986.3	1,074.5	1,061.0	- 1.3	939.0	997.2	1,034.5	+ 3.7	466.8	492.6	300.6	-39.0
MARCH	1,063.4	1,174.1	1,173.7	- 0.03	1,059.8	1,283.3	1,190.2	- 7.3	470.4	383.4	284.0	-25.9
APRIL	1,044.0	1,163.9	1 115.2	- 4.2	1,034.3	1,123.8	1,113.5	- 0.9	480.1	423.5	285.7	-32.5
MAY	1,084.9	1,176.2	1,134.8	- 3.5	1,078.1	1,232.6	1,161.9	- 5.7	486.8	367.1	258.6	-29.6
JUNE	1,098.1	1,142.2	1,128.0	- 1.2	1,109.3	1,191.6	1,141.6	- 4.2	475.7	317.7	245.0	-22.9
JULY	1,035.3	1,086.7	1,125.5	+ 3.6	1,043.2	1,078.1	1,127.5	+ 4.6	467.9	326.4	243.0	-25.6
AUGUST	1,125.4	1,094.8	1,666.2	+ 6.5	1,094.6	1,089.8	1,177.2	+ 8.0	498.6	331.3	231.8	-30.0
SEPTEMBER	1,011.1	1,077.4	1,102.3	+ 2.3	1,044.0	1,086.5	1,072.6	- 1.3	465.7	322.2	261.6	-18.8
OCTOBER	1,175.7	1,181.7	1,210.5	+ 2.4	1,194.0	1,200.7	1,228.5	+ 2.3	447.5	303.2	243.6	-19.7
NOVEMBER	1,164.2	1,103.1			1,144.5	1,113.2			467.1	293.0		
DECEMBER	1,007.9	1,076.9			1,158.7	1,144.3			316.3	225.6		
10 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	10,686.6	11,300.4	11,363.1	+ 0.6	10,567.4	11,313.5	11,344.8	+ 0.3				
TOTAL YEAR	12,858.7	13,480.4			12,870.6	13,571.0						

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	777.4	841.4	885.8	+ 5.3	69.1	74.7	82.9	+11.0	124.6	113.8	128.6	+13.0
FEBRUARY	755.1	810.1	863.9	+ 6.6	61.4	81.5	77.6	- 4.8	122.5	105.6	93.0	-11.9
MARCH	841.5	997.0	961.1	- 3.6	78.6	95.8	83.0	-13.4	139.7	190.5	146.1	-23.3
APRIL	825.1	914.4	880.1	- 3.8	76.6	80.7	88.9	+10.2	132.6	128.7	144.5	+12.3
MAY	821.5	986.0	908.3	- 7.9	84.4	88.1	96.0	+ 9.0	172.2	158.5	157.6	- 0.6
JUNE	852.2	935.4	912.9	- 2.4	83.3	84.1	91.0	+ 8.2	173.8	172.1	137.7	-20.0
JULY	785.0	832.9	907.3	+ 8.9	62.4	77.1	75.3	- 2.3	195.8	168.1	144.9	-13.8
AUGUST	852.9	875.2	940.0	+ 7.4	78.9	71.4	85.6	+19.9	162.8	143.2	151.6	+ 5.9
SEPTEMBER	823.3	854.2	854.5	+ 0.04	75.8	79.8	85.3	+ 6.9	144.9	152.5	132.8	-12.9
OCTOBER	935.6	955.9	975.9	+ 2.1	82.4	95.1	96.2	+ 1.2	176.0	149.7	156.4	+ 4.5
NOVEMBER	917.3	858.2			81.3	89.1			145.9	165.9		
DECEMBER	888.9	896.0			74.9	83.9			194.9	164.4		
10 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	8,269.6	9,002.5	9,089.8	+ 1.0	752.9	828.3	861.8	+ 4.0	1,544.9	1.482.7	1,393.2	- 6.0
TOTAL YEAR	10,075.8	10,756.7			909.1	1,001.3			1,885.7	1,813.0		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of short tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory - End of Month			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	329.7	318.1	318.0	- 0.03	318.2	309.4	317.9	+ 2.7	40.8	42.9	22.3	- 48.0
FEBRUARY	296.6	307.4	310.9	+ 1.1	290.6	309.4	309.1	- 0.1	46.8	41.0	24.1	- 41.2
MARCH	337.2	348.4	350.7	+ 0.7	326.0	355.9	353.0	- 0.8	58.1	33.5	21.8	- 34.9
APRIL	311.9	329.8	321.5	- 2.5	305.4	325.3	323.8	- 0.5	64.5	38.0	19.5	- 48.7
MAY	329.8	333.4	341.6	+ 2.5	331.5	337.4	339.4	+ 0.6	62.7	34.0	21.7	- 36.2
JUNE	337.7	334.9	339.9	+ 1.5	341.3	338.5	337.9	- 0.2	59.2	30.3	23.8	- 21.5
JULY	314.3	248.5	334.6	+34.6	313.5	245.5	337.4	+37.4	60.1	33.4	21.0	- 37.1
AUGUST	342.6	271.6	359.5	+32.4	337.6	277.0	357.7	+29.1	65.0	27.8	22.6	- 18.7
SEPTEMBER	298.3	318.8	340.0	+ 6.6	305.8	316.4	339.2	+ 7.2	57.6	30.2	23.5	- 22.2
OCTOBER	335.9	326.7	371.2	+13.6	338.1	332.3	370.7	+11.6	55.4	24.6	24.0	- 2.4
NOVEMBER	329.7	320.7			334.2	321.6			50.9	23.7		
DECEMBER	306.8	309.2			323.6	310.6			34.2	22.3		
10 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	3,234.0	3,137.6	3,387.9	+ 8.0	3,208.0	3,147.1	3,386.1	+ 7.6				
TOTAL YEAR	3,870.5	3,767.5			3,865.8	3,779.3						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	304.6	305.6	306.7	+ 0.4	13.6	3.8	11.2	+194.7	0	0	7.7	-
FEBRUARY	283.5	299.0	305.9	+ 2.3	7.1	10.4	3.2	- 69.2	0	0	13.3	-
MARCH	318.5	344.6	342.7	- 0.6	7.5	11.3	10.3	- 8.8	0	0	2.5	-
APRIL	302.4	317.4	318.0	+ 0.2	3.0	7.9	5.8	- 26.6	0	0	10.4	-
MAY	317.3	328.0	334.3	+ 1.9	14.2	9.4	5.1	- 45.7	0	0	20.4	-
JUNE	324.3	324.1	330.5	+ 2.0	17.0	14.4	7.4	- 48.6	0	0	19.2	-
JULY	297.5	241.6	332.7	+37.7	16.0	3.9	4.7	+ 20.5	0	0	18.3	-
AUGUST	322.5	274.3	348.8	+27.2	15.1	2.7	8.9	+229.6	0	0	7.7	-
SEPTEMBER	301.9	304.5	331.8	+ 9.0	3.9	11.9	7.4	- 37.8	0	0	2.0	-
OCTOBER	327.5	320.5	360.0	+12.3	10.6	11.8	10.7	- 9.3	0	0		
NOVEMBER	322.6	312.6			11.6	9.0			0	0		
DECEMBER	314.4	301.7			9.2	8.9			0	0		
10 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	3,100.0	3,059.6	3,311.4	+ 8.2	108.0	87.5	74.7	-14.6	0	0	101.5 (9 mos.)	
TOTAL YEAR	3,737.0	3,673.9			128.8	105.4			0	0		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of short tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	CANADA											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory - End of Month			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	732.7	810.8	827.9	+ 2.1	652.9	720.5	779.4	+ 8.2	378.7	372.4	251.8	-32.4
FEBRUARY	689.7	767.1	750.1	- 2.2	648.4	687.8	725.4	+ 5.5	420.0	451.6	276.5	-38.8
MARCH	726.2	825.7	823.0	- 0.3	733.8	927.4	837.2	- 9.7	412.3	349.9	262.2	-25.1
APRIL	732.1	834.1	793.7	- 4.8	728.9	798.5	789.7	- 1.1	415.6	385.5	266.2	-30.9
MAY	755.1	842.8	793.2	- 5.9	746.6	895.2	822.5	- 8.1	424.1	333.1	236.9	-28.9
JUNE	760.4	807.3	788.1	- 2.4	768.0	853.1	803.7	- 5.8	416.5	287.4	221.2	-23.0
JULY	721.0	838.2	790.9	- 5.6	729.7	832.6	790.1	- 5.1	407.8	293.0	222.0	-24.2
AUGUST	782.8	823.2	806.7	- 2.0	757.0	812.8	819.5	+ 0.8	433.6	303.5	209.2	-31.1
SEPTEMBER	712.8	758.6	762.3	+ 0.5	738.2	770.1	733.4	- 4.8	408.1	292.0	238.1	-18.5
OCTOBER	839.8	855.0	839.3	- 1.8	855.9	868.4	857.8	- 1.2	392.1	278.6	219.6	-21.2
NOVEMBER	834.5	782.4			810.3	791.6			416.2	269.3		
DECEMBER	701.1	767.7			835.1	833.7			282.1	203.3		
10 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	7,452.6	8,162.8	7,975.2	- 2.3	7,359.4	8,166.4	7,958.7	- 2.5				
TOTAL YEAR	8,988.2	9,712.9			9,004.8	9,791.7						

	DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS											
	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	472.8	535.8	579.1	+ 8.1	69.1	74.7	82.9	+11.0	111.0	110.0	117.4	+ 6.7
FEBRUARY	471.6	511.1	558.0	+ 9.2	61.4	81.5	77.6	- 4.8	115.4	95.2	89.8	- 5.7
MARCH	523.0	652.4	618.4	- 5.2	78.6	95.8	83.0	-13.4	132.2	179.2	135.8	-24.2
APRIL	522.7	597.0	562.1	- 5.8	76.6	80.7	88.9	+10.2	129.6	120.8	138.7	+14.8
MAY	504.2	658.0	574.0	-12.8	84.4	88.1	96.0	+ 9.0	158.0	149.1	152.5	+ 2.3
JUNE	527.9	611.3	582.4	- 4.7	83.3	84.1	91.0	+ 8.2	156.8	157.7	130.3	-17.4
JULY	487.5	591.3	574.6	- 2.8	62.4	77.1	75.3	- 2.3	179.8	164.2	140.2	-14.6
AUGUST	530.4	600.9	591.2	- 1.6	78.9	71.4	85.6	+19.9	147.7	140.5	142.7	+ 1.6
SEPTEMBER	521.4	549.7	522.7	- 4.9	75.8	79.8	85.3	+ 6.9	141.0	140.6	125.4	-10.8
OCTOBER	608.1	635.4	615.9	- 3.1	82.4	95.1	96.2	+ 1.2	165.4	137.9	145.7	+ 5.7
NOVEMBER	594.7	545.6			81.3	89.1			134.3	156.9		
DECEMBER	574.5	594.3			74.9	83.9			185.7	155.5		
10 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	5,169.6	5,942.9	5,778.4	- 2.8	752.9	828.3	861.8	+ 4.0	1,436.9	1,395.2	1,318.5	- 5.5
TOTAL YEAR	6,338.8	7,082.8			909.1	1,001.3			1,756.9	1,707.6		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of short tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA 525 Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump.*		
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979
JANUARY	529.2	547.9	554.6	+ 1.2	788.0	838.0	856.0	+ 2.1	67.2	65.4	64.8
FEBRUARY	482.6	521.1	547.4	+ 5.0	712.0	799.0	847.0	+ 6.0	67.8	65.2	64.6
MARCH	571.5	599.6	628.6	+ 4.8	854.0	908.0	964.0	+ 6.2	66.9	66.0	65.2
APRIL	563.2	619.9	633.5	+ 2.2	853.0	953.0	976.0	+ 2.4	66.0	65.0	64.9
MAY	599.0	630.6	647.0	+ 2.6	897.0	957.0	977.0	+ 2.1	66.8	65.9	66.2
JUNE	556.3	585.9	600.9R	+ 2.6	834.0	879.0	898.0	+ 2.2	66.7	66.7	66.9
JULY	523.6	560.5	571.9	+ 2.0	792.0	848.0	866.0	+ 2.1	66.1	66.1	66.0
AUGUST	539.5	557.6	595.3	+ 6.8	816.0	859.0	912.0R	+ 6.2	66.1	64.9	65.3R
SEPTEMBER	561.4	566.1	616.7	+ 8.9	858.0	870.0	952.0R	+ 9.4	65.4	65.1	64.8R
OCTOBER	628.4	623.6	659.0	+ 5.7	968.0	958.0	1,023.0P	+ 6.8	64.9	65.1	64.4P
NOVEMBER	620.4	656.8			942.0	1,016.0			65.9	64.6	
DECEMBER	596.9	636.4			914.0	987.0			65.3	64.5	
10 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	5,554.7	5,812.8	6,054.9	+ 4.2	8,372.0	8,869.0	9,271.0P	+ 4.5			
TOTAL YEAR	6,772.0	7,106.0			10,228.0	10,872.0					

R - Revised
P - Preliminary

* 5 Month Moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. - 3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted- Annual Basis			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,680	7,017	7,316	+ 4.3	9,940	10,730	11,290	+ 5.2	12,754	13,454	14,129	+ 5.0
FEBRUARY	6,753	7,002	7,267	+ 3.8	9,960	10,740	11,250	+ 4.7	12,754	13,540	14,075	+ 4.0
MARCH	6,623	7,168	7,413	+ 3.4	9,900	10,860	11,370	+ 4.7	12,060	14,533	13,546	- 6.8
APRIL	6,593	7,039	7,269	+ 3.3	9,990	10,830	11,200	+ 3.4	12,440	13,820	13,504	- 2.3
MAY	6,700	7,144	7,328	+ 2.6	10,030	10,840	11,070	+ 2.1	12,182	13,817	13,154	- 4.8
JUNE	6,770	7,210	7,372	+ 2.2	10,150	10,810	11,020	+ 1.9	12,260	13,240	12,720	- 3.9
JULY	6,729	7,139	7,366	+ 3.2	10,180	10,800	11,160	+ 3.3	12,793	13,357	13,920	+ 4.2
AUGUST	6,795	7,003	7,418R	+ 5.9	10,280	10,790	11,360	+ 5.3	12,608	12,854	13,782	+ 7.2
SEPTEMBER	6,828	6,972	7,400R	+ 6.1	10,440	10,710	11,420R	+ 6.6	13,121	13,598	13,766	+ 1.2
OCTOBER	6,873	7,122	7,374P	+ 3.5	10,590	10,940	11,450P	+ 4.7	13,897	13,672	13,714	+ 0.3
NOVEMBER	7,018	7,235			10,650	11,200			13,808	13,231		
DECEMBER	6,954	7,276			10,650	11,280			13,968	13,945		
10 MONTHS AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE	6,734	7,082	7,352P	+ 3.8	10,146	10,805	11,259P	+ 4.2				

P - Preliminary
R - Revised
Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association

(In thousands of short tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK -END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY 525 CONSUMERS' STOCKS - ON HAND IN TRANSIT					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Published by ANPA *					
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979
JANUARY	873.0	774.3	705.2	- 8.9	901.3	805.7	735.5	- 8.7	51	43	39			
FEBRUARY	895.8	784.4	712.5	- 9.2	896.7	795.5	724.9	- 8.9	52	50	36			
MARCH	897.0	818.5	717.0	-12.4	877.4	810.9	712.9	-12.1	49	42	35			
APRIL	873.5	818.1	708.2	-13.4	866.0	817.2	709.4	-13.2	47	40	34			
MAY	831.0	834.6	671.4	-19.6	847.5	855.0	688.3	-19.5	43	41	32			
JUNE	834.5	876.3	689.1	-21.4	839.2	869.9	683.6	-21.4	45	45	34			
JULY	831.9	898.5	736.4	-18.0	808.2	866.7	710.8	-18.0	49	50	40			
AUGUST	850.7	867.6	721.3	-16.9	804.2	823.6	685.0	-16.8	49	48	38			
SEPTEMBER	826.6	828.6	674.1	-18.6	802.9	805.4	653.8	-18.8	44	44	33			
OCTOBER	799.6	840.3	643.8	-23.4	813.3	840.8	643.2	-23.5	39	42	30			
NOVEMBER	763.4	760.8			798.2	784.3			37	35				
DECEMBER	795.8	727.6			812.6	743.7			41	35				

P - Preliminary R - Revised

* - Based on consumption in the preceding month

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association

OPERATING RATES

	To United States				Canada				North America			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	93.6	96.0	93.5*	- 2.6	86	96	96	–	88.2	96.0	95.3*	- 0.7
FEBRUARY	97.4	97.9	92.7	- 5.3	90	99	97	- 2.0	92.1	98.7	95.7	- 3.0
MARCH	97.8	97.2	96.5	- 0.7	85	100	98	- 2.0	88.6	99.1	97.5	- 1.6
APRIL	95.7	97.2	96.2	- 1.0	89	100	95	- 5.0	90.9	99.2	95.3	- 3.9
MAY	98.0	96.9	98.0	+ 1.1	90	101	94	- 6.9	92.3	99.8	95.2	- 4.6
JUNE	99.0	97.0	96.1	- 0.9	92	99	96	- 3.0	94.0	98.4	96.0	- 2.4
JULY	91.0	85.0	91.3	+ 7.4	83	98	92	- 6.1	85.0	94.6	91.8	- 3.0
AUGUST	96.6	76.9	97.1	+26.3	92	99	96	- 3.0	93.3	92.3	96.3	+ 4.3
SEPTEMBER	90.3	87.2	94.5	+ 8.4	89	97	96	- 1.0	89.4	93.9	95.5	+ 1.7
OCTOBER	97.6	91.0	97.1	+ 6.7	97	100	97	- 3.0	97.2	97.3	97.0	- 0.3
NOVEMBER	98.9	93.2			98	97			98.3	95.9		
DECEMBER	89.3	79.1*			91	97			90.5	91.1*		
10 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	95.7	91.1	95.3	+ 4.6	89	99	96	- 3.0	91.1	96.9	95.6	- 1.3
TOTAL YEAR	95.4	91.0			90	98			91.7	96.3		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association
* - Being investigated for accuracy

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	473	279	194	546	296	725	105	689	3,307
1972	499	310	201	604	312	767	129	727	3,549
1973	476	307	190	634	354	824	178	694	3,657
1974*	469	253	176	620	347	805	174	738	3,582
1974	453	244	170	598	335	777	168	712	3,457
1975	510	280	213	607	329	773	157	697	3,566
1976	528	258	204	649	331	810	150	702	3,632
1977	554	238	206	642	334	819	166	778	3,737
1978	491	221	194	587	334	922	179	746	3,674
Canada									
1971	2,171	1,830	394	649	114	26	206	756	6,146
1972	2,292	1,867	450	737	129	41	194	720	6,430
1973	2,339	1,924	478	870	141	61	216	826	6,855
1974*	2,466	2,116	503	889	175	81	212	797	7,239
1974	2,367	2,031	483	854	167	78	204	765	6,949
1975	1,886	1,631	347	628	103	68	160	665	5,488
1976	1,961	1,829	460	801	142	86	199	772	6,250
1977	2,065	1,771	427	815	122	81	225	833	6,339
1978	2,138	1,992	513	933	136	69	242	1,060	7,083
North America									
1971	2,644	2,109	588	1,195	410	751	311	1,445	9,453
1972	2,791	2,177	651	1,341	441	808	323	1,447	9,979
1973	2,815	2,231	668	1,504	495	885	394	1,520	10,512
1974*	2,935	2,369	679	1,509	522	886	386	1,535	10,821
1974	2,820	2,275	653	1,452	502	855	372	1,477	10,406
1975	2,396	1,911	560	1,235	432	841	317	1,362	9,054
1976	2,489	2,087	664	1,450	473	896	349	1,474	9,882
1977	2,619	2,009	633	1,457	456	900	391	1,611	10,076
1978	2,629	2,213	707	1,520	470	991	421	1,806	10,757

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights
R - Revised
E - Estimated

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(Thousands of short tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA		
		1978	1979	% Chg.	1978	1979	% Chg.	1978	1979	% Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	133.3	134.5	+ 0.9	530.3	532.0	+ 0.3	663.6	666.5	+ 0.4
	2 Q	133.0	124.8	- 6.2	537.1	510.0	- 5.0	670.1	634.8	- 5.3
	3 Q	84.6	120.3	+ 42.2	534.8	550.7	+ 3.0	619.4	671.0	+ 8.3
	4 Q	140.1			535.4			675.5		
	Year	491.0			2,137.6			2,628.6		
East North Central	1 Q	58.9	59.0	+ 0.2	467.3	493.5	+ 5.6	526.2	552.5	+ 5.0
	2 Q	54.1	57.9	+ 7.0	511.2	474.2	- 7.2	565.3	532.1	- 5.9
	3 Q	55.0	53.7	- 2.4	481.5	518.3	+ 7.6	536.5	572.0	+ 6.6
	4 Q	52.9			532.3			585.2		
	Year	220.9			1,992.3			2,213.2		
West North Central	1 Q	49.4	55.1	+ 11.5	135.1	133.6	- 1.1	184.5	188.7	+ 2.3
	2 Q	47.5	52.8	+ 11.2	129.5	133.5	+ 3.1	177.0	186.3	+ 5.3
	3 Q	47.8	56.1	+ 17.4	128.9	126.0	- 2.2	176.7	182.1	+ 3.1
	4 Q	49.4			119.7			169.1		
	Year	194.1			513.2			707.3		
South Atlantic	1 Q	147.4	147.9	+ 0.3	228.2	229.6	+ 0.6	375.6	377.5	+ 0.5
	2 Q	159.0	160.0	+ 0.6	254.1	208.9	- 17.8	413.1	368.9	- 10.7
	3 Q	138.7	186.5	+ 34.5	206.5	170.7	- 17.3	345.2	357.2	+ 3.5
	4 Q	141.5			244.6			386.1		
	Year	586.6			933.4			1,520.0		
East South Central	1 Q	84.6	80.1	- 5.3	40.7	30.1	- 26.0	125.3	110.2	- 12.1
	2 Q	82.3	86.5	+ 5.1	41.7	32.5	- 22.1	124.0	119.0	- 4.0
	3 Q	81.3	83.7	+ 3.0	26.4	36.7	+ 39.0	107.7	120.4	+ 11.8
	4 Q	86.0			26.9			112.9		
	Year	334.2			135.7			469.9		
West South Central	1 Q	226.8	228.8	+ 0.9	20.1	14.8	- 26.4	246.9	243.6	- 1.3
	2 Q	240.5	244.3	+ 1.6	11.8	18.4	+ 55.9	252.3	262.7	+ 4.1
	3 Q	220.1	242.5	+ 10.2	19.3	22.1	+ 14.5	239.4	264.6	+ 10.5
	4 Q	234.8			17.4			252.2		
	Year	922.2			68.6			990.8		
Mountain	1 Q	46.3	52.9	+ 14.3	51.0	67.0	+ 31.4	97.3	119.9	+ 23.2
	2 Q	49.2	54.1	+ 10.0	68.0	69.8	+ 2.6	117.2	123.9	+ 5.7
	3 Q	38.9	45.9	+ 18.0	61.9	54.0	- 12.8	100.8	99.9	- 0.9
	4 Q	44.9			61.5			106.4		
	Year	179.3			242.4			421.7		
Pacific	1 Q	202.5	197.0	- 2.7	226.6	254.9	+ 12.5	429.1	451.9	+ 5.3
	2 Q	203.9	202.4	- 0.7	312.9	271.2	- 13.3	516.8	473.6	- 8.4
	3 Q	154.0	224.6	+ 45.8	282.6	210.0	- 25.7	436.6	434.6	- 0.5
	4 Q	185.2			237.5			422.7		
	Year	745.6			1,059.6			1,805.2		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	949.2	955.3	+ 0.6	1,699.3	1,755.5	+ 3.3	2,648.5	2,710.8	+ 2.4
	2 Q	969.5	982.8	+ 1.4	1,866.3	1,718.5	- 7.9	2,835.8	2,701.3	- 4.7
	3 Q	820.4	1,013.3	+ 23.5	1,741.9	1,688.5	- 3.1	2,562.3	2,701.8	+ 5.4
	4 Q	934.8			1,775.3			2,710.1		
	Year	3,673.9			7,082.8			10,756.7		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of short tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS				INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS
		TOTAL	TO UNITED STATES	TO CANADA	TO OTHER MARKETS		
United States							
1965	2,245	2,248	2,183	-	65	19	254
1966	2,483	2,480	2,414	-	66	21	274
1967	2,709	2,691	2,612	-	79	39	283
1968	3,045	3,056	2,944	-	112	27	284
1969	3,362	3,363	3,246	-	117	27	293
1970	3,464	3,457	3,316	-	141	33	315
1971	3,476	3,468	3,307	-	161	41	317
1972	3,656	3,671	3,549	-	122	27	328
1973	3,738	3,742	3,657	-	85	23	381
1974*	3,690	3,689	3,582	-	107	25	-
1974	3,561	3,560	3,457	-	103	25	213
1975	3,691	3,689	3,566	-	123	21	33
1976	3,736	3,727	3,632	-	95	29	57
1977	3,871	3,866	3,737	-	129	34	0
1978	3,767	3,779	3,674	-	105	22	0
Canada							
1965	7,720	7,747	6,094	590	1,063	150	-
1966	8,419	8,385	6,610	621	1,154	184	-
1967	8,051	7,968	6,263	638	1,067	268	-
1968	8,031	8,096	6,107	674	1,315	203	-
1969	8,758	8,741	6,417	709	1,615	220	-
1970	8,607	8,592	6,145	716	1,731	236	-
1971	8,455	8,362	6,146	721	1,495	332	-
1972	8,820	8,901	6,430	781	1,690	251	-
1973	9,140	9,199	6,855	859	1,485	193	-
1974*	9,946	9,998	7,239	923	1,836	146	-
1974	9,548	9,597	6,949	886	1,762	143	-
1975	7,679	7,727	5,488	864	1,375	95	-
1976	8,915	8,711	6,250	885	1,576	299	-
1977	8,988	9,005	6,339	909	1,757	282	-
1978	9,713	9,792	7,083	1,001	1,708	203	-
North America							
1965	9,965	9,995	8,277	590	1,128	169	254
1966	10,902	10,865	9,024	621	1,220	205	274
1967	10,760	10,659	8,875	638	1,146	307	283
1968	11,076	11,152	9,051	674	1,427	230	284
1969	12,120	12,104	9,663	709	1,732	247	293
1970	12,071	12,049	9,461	716	1,872	269	315
1971	11,931	11,830	9,453	721	1,656	373	317
1972	12,476	12,572	9,979	781	1,812	278	328
1973	12,878	12,941	10,512	859	1,570	216	381
1974*	13,636	13,687	10,821	923	1,943	171	-
1974	13,109	13,157	10,406	886	1,865	168	213
1975	11,370	11,416	9,054	864	1,498	116	33
1976	12,651	12,438	9,882	885	1,671	328	57
1977	12,859	12,871	10,076	909	1,886	316	0
1978	13,480	13,571	10,757	1,001	1,813	225	0

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION			Tonnage Loss Due to Newspape Strikes
YEAR	As Reported	30 Lb. Basis	
1965	8,460	7,931	43
1966	9,154	8,582	10
1967	9,238	8,660	42
1968	9,327	8,744	185
1969	9,855	9,239	57
1970	9,706	9,119	79
1971	9,835	9,250	104
1972	10,547	9,941	7
1973	10,794	10,197	17
1974	10,284	10,104	28
1975	9,254	9,174	7
1976	9,611	9,579	0
1977	10,228	10,231	6
1978	10,872	10,878	143

United States
Newspaper
Circulation
(Million Copies)

Year	Dailies	Sundays
1960	58.9	47.7
1961	59.3	48.2
1962	59.9	48.9
1963	58.9	46.8
1964	60.4	48.4
1965	60.4	48.6
1966	61.4	49.3
1967	61.6	49.2
1968	62.0	49.5
1969	62.0	49.7
1970	62.1	49.2
1971	62.2	49.7
1972	62.5	50.0
1973	63.1	51.7
1974	61.9	51.7
1975	60.7	51.1
1976	61.0	51.6
1977	61.5	52.4
1978P	62.0	54.0

FORECASTS OF U.S. ECONOMY

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1979 1st Qtr.	1979 2nd Qtr.	1979 3rd Qtr.	1979 4th Qtr.	1980 1st Qtr.	1980 2nd Qtr.	1980 3rd Qtr.	1980 4th Qtr.	ANNUAL* 1979	ANNUAL* 1980
Merrill Lynch Economics-November, 1979 Based on Pre. 3rd qtr. data (1430.8) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1430.6 +1.1	1422.3 -2.3	1430.8 +2.4	1427.9 -0.8	1409.7 -5.0	1394.0 -4.4	1393.2 -0.2	1409.2 +4.6	1427.9 +2.1	1401.5 -1.8
The Conference Board-October, 1979 Based on Pre. 3rd qtr. data (1430.8) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1430.6 +1.1	1422.3 -2.3	1430.8 +2.4	1430.8 0.0	1412.7 -5.0	1397.3 -4.3	1392.0 -1.5	1403.5 +3.3	1428.6 +2.1	1401.4 -1.9
Chase Econometric-October, 1979 Based on Pre. 3rd qtr. data (1430.8) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1430.6 +1.1	1422.3 -2.3	1430.8 +2.4	1418.2 -3.5	1400.2 -5.0	1398.3 -0.5	1405.2 +2.0	1416.6 +3.3	1425.5 +1.9	1405.1 -1.4
MacKay - Shields Economics-August, 1979 Based on Rev. 2nd qtr. data (1422.1) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1430.6 +1.1	1422.1 -2.4	1399.0 -6.9	1381.0 -5.2	1388.0 +2.0	1401.0 +3.8	1416.0 +6.4	1435.0 +5.5	1408.0 +0.7	1410.0 +0.1

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1976 - 1273.0
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1399.2

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics-November, 1979 Based on 3rd qtr. data (152.2) % Change from next preceding quarter**	152.2 +4.0	151.9 -0.8	152.2 +0.7	150.3 -4.9	146.3 -10.4	143.0 -8.8	142.6 -1.0	145.6 +8.7	151.7 +3.8	144.3 -4.8

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES - BY MEDIA - PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	Newspapers	Magazines	Business	Dir. Mail	Outdoor	Total Print	T V	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.9	5.6	3.4	14.9	1.2	55.0	18.1	6.9	20.0
1975	29.9	5.2	3.3	14.8	1.2	54.4	18.6	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.3	1.1	53.2	19.9	6.9	20.0
1977	29.2	5.7	3.2	14.0	1.1	53.2	20.0	6.8	20.0
1978	29.0	5.9	3.2	13.8	1.1	53.0	20.2	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

Abitibi Southern Corporation
Boise Cascade Corporation
Boise Southern Company
Bowater Incorporated
Crown Zellerbach Corporation
Field Enterprises, Inc.
Garden State Paper Company
Georgia-Pacific Corporation
Great Northern Paper Company
Inland Empire Paper Company
International Paper Company
North Pacific Company
Publishers Paper Company
Southland Paper Division
of St.Regis Paper Co.
Southwest Forest Industries
Southeast Paper Mfg. Company

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of short tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			M Tons	%
1966	2,545	8,878	11,423	-
1967	2,844	9,294	12,138	+ 6.3
1968	3,176	9,655	12,831	+ 5.7
1969	3,374	9,675	13,049	+ 1.7
1970	3,533	9,845	13,378	+ 2.5
1971	3,642	10,240	13,882	+ 3.8
1972	3,694	10,300	13,994	+ 0.8
1973	3,819	10,337	14,156	+ 1.2
1974	3,889	10,474	14,363	+ 1.5
REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN BASIS WEIGHT (3)				
1974	3,722	10,038	13,760	-
1975	3,948	10,165	14,113	+ 2.6
1975	3,948	Revised 9,892(4)	13,840	-
1976	4,014	9,921	13,935	+ 0.7
1977	4,069	9,902	13,971	+ 0.3
1978	4,087R*	9,861	13,948	- 0.2
1979	4,186R*	10,031	14,217	+ 1.9
1980	4,624R*	10,141	14,765	+ 3.9
1981	5,232R*	10,472	15,704	+ 6.4
1982	5,505R*	11,014E	16,519	+ 5.2

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued October, 1978

(2) Source: CPPA E - Estimated

NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the basis weight of newsprint from 32 pounds, for 500 sheets measuring 24" x 36", to 30 pounds. A given area of printing surface of 30 pound paper weighs less than the same area of 32 pound paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

R* - The U.S. revised capacities above reflect changes announced since the issue of the up-date of the API capacity issued on October 20, 1978.

Also, entries for 1982 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1981.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

Company	Mill	Date (Month)	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1979					
Bowater	Calhoun, Tenn	Oct. '79	140,000	-	140,000
North Pacific	Longview, Wash.	July '79	210,000	-	210,000
Southeast	Dublin, Ga.	June '79	156,000	-	156,000
Georgia-Pacific (6)	Woodland, Me.	3rd qtr. '79	(-90,000)	50,000(7)	(-40,000)
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, Va.	1st qtr. '80	175,000	-	175,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, La.	Mid. '80	180,000	-	180,000
1981					
Garden State (6)	Pomona, Ca.	Mid. '81	37,800	-	37,800
North Pacific (6)	Longview, Wa.	2nd qtr. '81	210,000	-	210,000
Publishers (5)	Newberg, Ore.	Early '81	210,000	-	210,000
St. Regis (6)	Houston, Tx.	Mid. '81	143,000*	-	143,000
Canadian Mills					
1979					
Consolidated - Bathurst	Port Alfred, Quebec & other mills	Late '79	55,000	-	55,000
	Unidentified		115,000	-	115,000
1980					
Kruger**	Bromptonville, Que.	1980	80,000	-	80,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, B.C.	Late '80	55,000	-	55,000
1981					
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River British Columbia	Mid. '81	209,000	-	209,000
Abitibi Price	Stephenville, Newfoundland	Mid. '81	150,000	-	150,000
1982					
British Columbia	Crofton, B.C.	Early '82	187,000	-	187,000
Crown	Elk Falls, B.C.	Jan. '82	198,000	-	198,000
Donohue Normick	Amos, Quebec	Mid. '82	165,000	-	165,000

(5) Included in API Capacity Survey up-date issued October 20, 1978.

(6) Not included in API Capacity Survey update issued October 20, 1978.

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements.

(7) Uncoated Free Sheet

** Net increase - speed up of machine at Bromptonville, less transfer of machine at Three Rivers to coated papers.

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NEWSPRINT PAPERS **

REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 1979

Newspaper inventories of newsprint continued to decline in November. According to ANPA, stocks were at a level approximately the same as at the end of 1973. Estimated U.S. consumption during the last three months has been running at an annual rate of about 11,400 M short tons, while in 1973 the consumption rate was 11% lower, equal to 10,100 M short tons (on a 30 lb. basis.)

(Thousands of Tons)	SHORT TONS						METRIC TONS	
	NOVEMBER			11 MOS. YEAR TO DATE			11 MOS. YEAR TO DATE	
	1978	1979	% Change	1978	1979	% Change	1978	1979
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS NORTH AMERICA								
Production	1,103	1,189	+ 7.7	12,403	12,551	+ 1.2	11,252	11,386
% of Capacity	95.9	98.9	+ 3.1	96.9	95.9	- 1.0	96.9	95.9
Shipments	1,113	1,181	+ 6.1	12,427	12,526	+ 0.8	11,274	11,364
UNITED STATES								
Production	321	367	+14.3	3,458	3,754	+ 8.6	3,137	3,405
% of Capacity	93.2	96.5	+ 3.5	91.3	95.4	+ 4.5	91.3	95.4
Shipments	322	364	+13.2	3,469	3,750	+ 8.1	3,147	3,402
CANADA								
Production	782	822	+ 5.1	8,945	8,797	- 1.7	8,115	7,981
% of Capacity	97	100	+ 3.1	99	96	- 3.0	99	96
Shipments	791	817	+ 3.2	8,958	8,776	- 2.0	8,127	7,962
U.S. Consumption								
(525) ANPA Newspapers	657	662	+ 0.8	6,470	6,717	+ 3.8	5,870	6,094
Estimated Total	1,016	1,033P	+ 1.7	9,885	10,299P	+ 4.2	8,968	9,343
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	761	613	-19.4	▨	▨	▨	690	556
North American Mills – Stocks	293	251	-14.4	▨	▨	▨	266	228

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** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing

P- Preliminary

In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., the U.S. Bureau of Census, Statistics Canada and Scannews.

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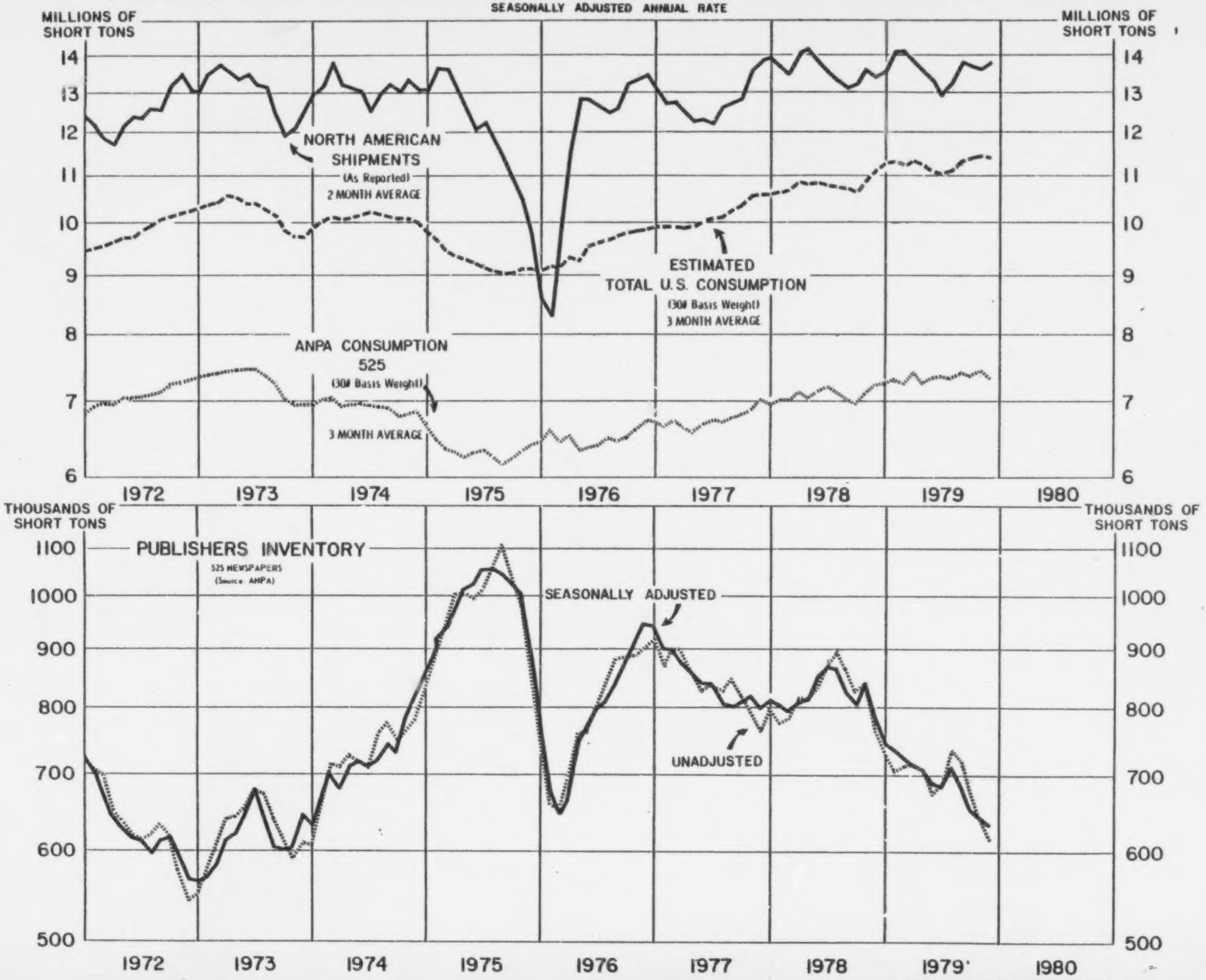
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE



NEWSPRINT DIVISION, AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

(In thousands of short tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

NORTH AMERICA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory - End of Month			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,062.4	1,128.9	1,145.9	+ 1.5	971.1	1,029.9	1,097.3	+ 6.5	419.5	415.3	274.1	-34.0
FEBRUARY	986.3	1,074.5	1,061.0	- 1.3	939.0	997.2	1,034.5	+ 3.7	466.8	492.6	300.6	-39.0
MARCH	1,063.4	1,174.1	1,173.7	- 0.03	1,059.8	1,283.3	1,190.2	- 7.3	470.4	383.4	284.0	-25.9
APRIL	1,044.0	1,163.9	1 115.2	- 4.2	1,034.3	1,123.8	1,113.5	- 0.9	480.1	423.5	285.7	-32.5
MAY	1,084.9	1,176.2	1,134.8	- 3.5	1,078.1	1,232.6	1,161.9	- 5.7	486.8	367.1	258.6	-29.6
JUNE	1,098.1	1,142.2	1,128.0	- 1.2	1,109.3	1,191.6	1,141.6	- 4.2	475.7	317.7	245 0	-22.9
JULY	1,035.3	1,086.7	1,125.5	+ 3.6	1,043.2	1,078.1	1,127.5	+ 4.6	467.9	326.4	243.0	-25.6
AUGUST	1,125.4	1,094.8	1,166.2	+ 6.5	1,094.6	1,089.8	1,177.2	+ 8.0	498.6	331.3	231.8	-30.0
SEPTEMBER	1,011.1	1,077.4	1,102.3	+ 2.3	1,044.0	1,086.5	1,072.6	- 1.3	465.7	322.2	261.6	-18.8
OCTOBER	1,175.7	1,181.7	1,210.5	+ 2.4	1,194.0	1,200.7	1,228.5	+ 2.3	447.5	303.2	243.6	-19.7
NOVEMBER	1,164.2	1,103.1	1,188.5	+ 7.7	1,144.5	1,113.2	1,181.1	+ 6.1	467.1	293.0	250.9	-14.4
DECEMBER	1,007.9	1,076.9			1,158.7	1,144.3			316.3	225.6		
11 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	11,850.8	12,403.5	12,551.6	+ 1.2	11,711.9	12,426.7	12,525.9	+ 0.8				
TOTAL YEAR	12,858.7	13,480.4			12,870.6	13,571.0						

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	777.4	841.4	885.8	+ 5.3	69.1	74.7	82.9	+11.0	124.6	113.8	128.6	+13.0
FEBRUARY	755.1	810.1	863.9	+ 6.6	61.4	81.5	77.6	- 4.8	122.5	105.6	93.0	-11.9
MARCH	841.5	997.0	961.1	- 3.6	78.6	95.8	83.0	-13.4	139.7	190.5	146.1	-23.3
APRIL	825.1	914.4	880.1	- 3.8	76.6	80.7	88.9	+10.2	132.6	128.7	144.5	+12.3
MAY	821.5	986.0	908.3	- 7.9	84.4	88.1	96.0	+ 9.0	172.2	158.5	157.6	- 0.6
JUNE	852.2	935.4	912.9	- 2.4	83.3	84.1	91.0	+ 8.2	173.8	172.1	137.7	-20.0
JULY	785.0	832.9	907.3	+ 8.9	62.4	77.1	75.3	- 2.3	195.8	168.1	144.9	-13.8
AUGUST	852.9	875.2	940.0	+ 7.4	78.9	71.4	85.6	+19.9	162.8	143.2	151.6	+ 5.9
SEPTEMBER	823.3	854.2	854.5	+ 0.04	75.8	79.8	85.3	+ 6.9	144.9	152.5	132.8	-12.9
OCTOBER	935.6	955.9	975.9	+ 2.1	82.4	95.1	96.2	+ 1.2	176.0	149.7	156.4	+ 4.5
NOVEMBER	917.3	858.2	952.9	+11.0	81.3	89.1	93.3	+ 4.7	145.9	165.9	134.9	-18.7
DECEMBER	888.9	896.0			74.9	83.9			194.9	164.4		
11 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	9,186.9	9,860.7	10,042.7	+ 1.8	834.2	917.4	955.1	+ 4.1	1,690.8	1,648.6	1,528.1	- 7.3
TOTAL YEAR	10,075.8	10,756.7			909.1	1,001.3			1,885.7	1,813.0		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of short tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory - End of Month			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	329.7	318.1	318.0	- 0.03	318.2	309.4	317.9	+ 2.7	40.8	42.9	22.3	- 48.0
FEBRUARY	296.6	307.4	310.9	+ 1.1	290.6	309.4	309.1	- 0.1	46.8	41.0	24.1	- 41.2
MARCH	337.2	348.4	350.7	+ 0.7	326.0	355.9	353.0	- 0.8	58.1	33.5	21.8	- 34.9
APRIL	311.9	329.8	321.5	- 2.5	305.4	325.3	323.8	- 0.5	64.5	38.0	19.5	- 48.7
MAY	329.8	333.4	341.6	+ 2.5	331.5	337.4	339.4	+ 0.6	62.7	34.0	21.7	- 36.2
JUNE	337.7	334.9	339.9	+ 1.5	341.3	338.5	337.9	- 0.2	59.2	30.3	23.8	- 21.5
JULY	314.3	248.5	334.6	+34.6	313.5	245.5	337.4	+37.4	60.1	33.4	21.0	- 37.1
AUGUST	342.6	271.6	359.5	+32.4	337.6	277.0	357.7	+29.1	65.0	27.8	22.6	- 18.7
SEPTEMBER	298.3	318.8	340.0	+ 6.6	305.8	316.4	339.2	+ 7.2	57.6	30.2	23.5	- 22.2
OCTOBER	335.9	326.7	371.2	+13.6	338.1	332.3	370.7	+11.6	55.4	24.6	24.0	- 2.4
NOVEMBER	329.7	320.7	366.5	+14.3	334.2	321.6	364.1	+13.2	50.9	23.7	26.4	+ 11.4
DECEMBER	306.8	309.2			323.6	310.6			34.2	22.3		
11 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	3,563.7	3,458.3	3,754.4	+ 8.6	3,542.2	3,468.7	3,750.2	+ 8.1				
TOTAL YEAR	3,870.5	3,767.5			3,865.8	3,779.3						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	304.6	305.6	306.7	+ 0.4	13.6	3.8	11.2	+194.7	0	0	7.7	-
FEBRUARY	283.5	299.0	305.9	+ 2.3	7.1	10.4	3.2	- 69.2	0	0	13.3	-
MARCH	318.5	344.6	342.7	- 0.6	7.5	11.3	10.3	- 8.8	0	0	2.5	-
APRIL	302.4	317.4	318.0	+ 0.2	3.0	7.9	5.8	- 26.6	0	0	10.4	-
MAY	317.3	328.0	334.3	+ 1.9	14.2	9.4	5.1	- 45.7	0	0	20.4	-
JUNE	324.3	324.1	330.5	+ 2.0	17.0	14.4	7.4	- 48.6	0	0	19.2	-
JULY	297.5	241.6	332.7	+37.7	16.0	3.9	4.7	+ 20.5	0	0	18.3	-
AUGUST	322.5	274.3	348.8	+27.2	15.1	2.7	8.9	+229.6	0	0	7.7	-
SEPTEMBER	301.9	304.5	331.8	+ 9.0	3.9	11.9	7.4	- 37.8	0	0	2.0	-
OCTOBER	327.5	320.5	360.0	+12.3	10.6	11.8	10.7	- 9.3	0	0	13.8	-
NOVEMBER	322.6	312.6	353.7	+13.1	11.6	9.0	10.4	+ 15.6	0	0		
DECEMBER	314.4	301.7			9.2	8.9			0	0		
11 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	3,422.6	3,372.2	3,665.1	+ 8.7	119.6	96.5	85.1	- 11.8	0	0	115.3 (10 mos.)	
TOTAL YEAR	3,737.0	3,673.9			128.8	105.4			0	0		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census

(In thousands of short tons).

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

CANADA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory - End of Month			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	732.7	810.8	827.9	+ 2.1	652.9	720.5	779.4	+ 8.2	378.7	372.4	251.8	-32.4
FEBRUARY	689.7	767.1	750.1	- 2.2	648.4	687.8	725.4	+ 5.5	420.0	451.6	276.5	-38.8
MARCH	726.2	825.7	823.0	- 0.3	733.8	927.4	837.2	- 9.7	412.3	349.9	262.2	-25.1
APRIL	732.1	834.1	793.7	- 4.8	728.9	798.5	789.7	- 1.1	415.6	385.5	266.2	-30.9
MAY	755.1	842.8	793.2	- 5.9	746.6	895.2	822.5	- 8.1	424.1	333.1	236.9	-28.9
JUNE	760.4	807.3	788.1	- 2.4	768.0	853.1	803.7	- 5.8	416.5	287.4	221.2	-23.0
JULY	721.0	838.2	790.9	- 5.6	729.7	832.6	790.1	- 5.1	407.8	293.0	222.0	-24.2
AUGUST	782.8	823.2	806.7	- 2.0	757.0	812.8	819.5	+ 0.8	433.6	303.5	209.2	-31.1
SEPTEMBER	712.8	758.6	762.3	+ 0.5	738.2	770.1	733.4	- 4.8	408.1	292.0	238.1	-18.5
OCTOBER	839.8	855.0	839.3	- 1.8	855.9	868.4	857.8	- 1.2	392.1	278.6	219.6	-21.2
NOVEMBER	834.5	782.4	822.0	+ 5.1	810.3	791.6	817.0	+ 3.2	416.2	269.3	224.5	-16.6
DECEMBER	701.1	767.7			835.1	833.7			282.1	203.3		
11 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	8,287.1	8,945.2	8,797.2	- 1.7	8,169.7	8,958.0	8,[illegible].7	- 2.0				
TOTAL YEAR	8,988.2	9,712.9			9,004.8	9,791.7						

DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	472.8	535.8	579.1	+ 8.1	69.1	74.7	82.9	+11.0	111.0	110.0	117.4	+ 6.7
FEBRUARY	471.6	511.1	558.0	+ 9.2	61.4	81.5	77.6	- 4.8	115.4	95.2	89.8	- 5.7
MARCH	523.0	652.4	618.4	- 5.2	78.6	95.8	83.0	-13.4	132.2	179.2	135.8	-24.2
APRIL	522.7	597.0	562.1	- 5.8	76.6	80.7	88.9	+10.2	129.6	120.8	138.7	+14.8
MAY	504.2	658.0	574.0	-12.8	84.4	88.1	96.0	+ 9.0	158.0	149.1	152.5	+ 2.3
JUNE	527.9	611.3	582.4	- 4.7	83.3	84.1	91.0	+ 8.2	156.8	157.7	130.3	-17.4
JULY	487.5	591.3	574.6	- 2.8	62.4	77.1	75.3	- 2.3	179.8	164.2	140.2	-14.6
AUGUST	530.4	600.9	591.2	- 1.6	78.9	71.4	85.6	+19.9	147.7	140.5	142.7	+ 1.6
SEPTEMBER	521.4	549.7	522.7	- 4.9	75.8	79.8	85.3	+ 6.9	141.0	140.6	125.4	-10.8
OCTOBER	608.1	635.4	615.9	- 3.1	82.4	95.1	96.2	+ 1.2	165.4	137.9	145.7	+ 5.7
NOVEMBER	594.7	545.6	599.2	+ 9.8	81.3	89.1	93.3	+ 4.7	134.3	156.9	124.5	-20.7
DECEMBER	574.5	594.3			74.9	83.9			185.7	155.5		
11 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	5,764.3	6,488.5	6,377.6	- 1.7	834.2	917.4	955.1	+ 4.1	1,571.2	1,552.1	1,443.0	- 7.0
TOTAL YEAR	6,338.8	7,082.8			909.1	1,001.3			1,756.9	1,707.6		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association

(In thousands of short tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA 525 Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump.*		
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979
JANUARY	529.2	547.9	554.6	+ 1.2	788.0	838.0	856.0	+ 2.1	67.2	65.4	64.9
FEBRUARY	482.6	521.1	547.4	+ 5.0	712.0	799.0	847.0	+ 6.0	67.8	65.2	64.6
MARCH	571.5	599.6	628.6	+ 4.8	854.0	908.0	964.0	+ 6.2	66.9	66.0	65.2
APRIL	563.2	619.9	633.5	+ 2.2	853.0	953.0	976.0	+ 2.4	66.0	65.0	64.9
MAY	599.0	630.6	647.0	+ 2.6	897.0	957.0	977.0	+ 2.1	66.8	65.9	66.2
JUNE	556.3	585.9	600.9	+ 2.6	834.0	879.0	898.0	+ 2.2	66.7	66.7	66.9
JULY	523.6	560.5	571.9	+ 2.0	792.0	848.0	866.0	+ 2.1	66.1	66.1	66.0
AUGUST	539.5	557.6	595.3	+ 6.8	816.0	859.0	912.0	+ 6.2	66.1	64.9	65.3
SEPTEMBER	561.4	566.1	616.7	+ 8.9	858.0	870.0	951.0R	+ 9.3	65.4	65.1	64.8
OCTOBER	628.4	623.6	659.0	+ 5.7	968.0	958.0	1,019.0R	+ 6.4	64.9	65.1	64.6R
NOVEMBER	620.4	656.8	661.9	+ 0.8	942.0	1,016.0	1,033.0P	+ 1.7	65.9	64.6	64.1P
DECEMBER	596.9	636.4			914.0	987.0			65.3	64.5	
11 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	6,175.1	6,469.6	6,716.8	+ 3.8	9,314.0	9,885.0	10,299.0	+ 4.2			
TOTAL YEAR	6,772.0	7,106.0			10,228.0	10,872.0					

R - Revised
P - Preliminary

* 5 Month Moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. - 3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted- Annual Basis			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,680	7,017	7,316	+ 4.3	9,940	10,730	11,290	+ 5.2	12,754	13,454	14,129	+ 5.0
FEBRUARY	6,753	7,002	7,267	+ 3.8	9,960	10,740	11,250	+ 4.7	12,754	13,540	14,075	+ 4.0
MARCH	6,623	7,168	7,413	+ 3.4	9,900	10,860	11.370	+ 4.7	12,060	14,533	13,546	- 6.8
APRIL	6,593	7,039	7,269	+ 3.3	9,990	10,830	11,200	+ 3.4	12,440	13,820	13,504	- 2.3
MAY	6,700	7,144	7,328	+ 2.6	10,030	10,840	11,070	+ 2.1	12,182	13,817	13,154	- 4.8
JUNE	6,770	7,210	7,372	+ 2.2	10,150	10,810	11,020	+ 1.9	12,260	13,240	12,720	- 3.9
JULY	6,729	7,139	7,366	+ 3.2	10,180	10,800	11,160	+ 3.3	12,793	13,357	13,920	+ 4.2
AUGUST	6,795	7,003	7,418	+ 5.9	10,280	10,790	11,360	+ 5.3	12,608	12,854	13,782	+ 7.2
SEPTEMBER	6,828	6,972	7,387R	+ 6.0	10,440	10,710	11,400R	+ 6.4	13,121	13,598	13,766	+ 1.2
OCTOBER	6,873	7,122	7,423P	+ 4.2	10,590	10,940	11,490P	+ 5.0	13,897	13,672	13,714	+ 0.3
NOVEMBER	7,018	7,235	7,339P	+ 1.4	10,650	11,200	11,450P	+ 2.2	13,808	13,231	13,937	+ 5.3
DECEMBER	6,954	7,276			10,650	11,280			13,968	13,945		
11 MONTHS AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE	6,760	7,096	7,354P	+ 3.6	10,192	10,841	11,278P	+ 4.0				

P - Preliminary
R - Revised
Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association

(In thousands of short tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK -END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY 525 CONSUMERS' STOCKS - ON HAND IN TRANSIT					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Published by ANPA *					
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979
JANUARY	873.0	774.3	705.2	- 8.9	901.3	805.7	735.5	- 8.7	51	43	39			
FEBRUARY	895.8	784.4	712.5	- 9.2	896.7	795.5	724.9	- 8.9	52	42	36			
MARCH	897.0	818.5	717.0	-12.4	877.4	810.9	712.9	-12.1	49	42	35			
APRIL	873.5	818.1	708.2	-13.4	866.0	817.2	709.4	-13.2	47	40	34			
MAY	831.0	834.6	671.4	-19.6	847.5	855.0	688.3	-19.5	43	41	32			
JUNE	834.5	876.3	689.1	-21.4	839.2	869.9	683.6	-21.4	45	45	34			
JULY	831.9	898.5	736.4	-18.0	808.2	866.7	710.8	-18.0	49	50	40			
AUGUST	850.7	867.6	721.3	-16.9	804.2	823.6	685.0	-16.8	49	48	38			
SEPTEMBER	826.6	828.6	674.1	-18.6	802.9	805.4	653.8	-18.8	44	44	33			
OCTOBER	799.6	840.3	643.8	-23.4	813.3	840.8	643.2	-23.5	39	42	30			
NOVEMBER	763.4	760.8	613.5	-19.4	798.2	784.3	631.2	-19.5	37	35	28			
DECEMBER	795.8	727.6			812.6	743.7			41	35				

* - Based on consumption in the preceding month

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association

OPERATING RATES

	To United States				Canada				North America			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	93.6	96.0	93.5*	- 2.6	86	96	96	—	88.2	96.0	95.3*	- 0.7
FEBRUARY	97.4	97.9	92.7	- 5.3	90	99	97	- 2.0	92.1	98.7	95.7	- 3.0
MARCH	97.8	97.2	96.5	- 0.7	85	100	98	- 2.0	88.6	99.1	97.5	- 1.6
APRIL	95.7	97.2	96.2	- 1.0	89	100	95	- 5.0	90.9	99.2	95.3	- 3.9
MAY	98.0	96.9	98.0	+ 1.1	90	101	94	- 6.9	92.3	99.8	95.2	- 4.6
JUNE	99.0	97.0	96.1	- 0.9	92	99	96	- 3.0	94.0	98.4	96.0	- 2.4
JULY	91.0	85.0	91.3	+ 7.4	83	98	92	- 6.1	85.0	94.6	91.8	- 3.0
AUGUST	96.6	76.9	97.1	+26.3	92	99	96	- 3.0	93.3	92.3	96.3	+ 4.3
SEPTEMBER	90.3	87.2	94.5	+ 8.4	89	97	96	- 1.0	89.4	93.9	95.5	+ 1.7
OCTOBER	97.6	91.0	97.1	+ 6.7	97	100	97	- 3.0	97.2	97.3	97.0	- 0.3
NOVEMBER	98.9	93.2	96.5	+ 3.5	98	97	100	+ 3.1	98.3	95.9	98.9	+ 3.1
DECEMBER	89.3	79.1*			91	97			90.5	91.1*		
11 MONTHS YEAR-TO-DATE	96.0	91.3	95.4	+ 4.5	90	99	96	- 3.0	91.8	96.9	95.9	- 1.0
TOTAL YEAR	95.4	91.0			90	98			91.7	96.3		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association
* - Being investigated for accuracy

(thousands of short tons)

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	473	279	194	546	296	725	105	689	3,307
1972	499	310	201	604	312	767	129	727	3,549
1973	476	307	190	634	354	824	178	694	3,657
1974*	469	253	176	620	347	805	174	738	3,582
1974	453	244	170	598	335	777	168	712	3,457
1975	510	280	213	607	329	773	157	697	3,566
1976	528	258	204	649	331	810	150	702	3,632
1977	554	238	206	642	334	819	166	778	3,737
1978	491	221	194	587	334	922	179	746	3,674
Canada									
1971	2,171	1,830	394	649	114	26	206	756	6,146
1972	2,292	1,867	450	737	129	41	194	720	6,430
1973	2,339	1,924	478	870	141	61	216	826	6,855
1974*	2,466	2,116	503	889	175	81	212	797	7,239
1974	2,367	2,031	483	854	167	78	204	765	6,949
1975	1,886	1,631	347	628	103	68	160	665	5,488
1976	1,961	1,829	460	801	142	86	199	772	6,250
1977	2,065	1,771	427	815	122	81	225	833	6,339
1978	2,138	1,992	513	933	136	69	242	1,060	7,083
North America									
1971	2,644	2,109	588	1,195	410	751	311	1,445	9,453
1972	2,791	2,177	651	1,341	441	808	323	1,447	9,979
1973	2,815	2,231	668	1,504	495	885	394	1,520	10,512
1974*	2,935	2,369	679	1,509	522	886	386	1,535	10,821
1974	2,820	2,275	653	1,452	502	855	372	1,477	10,406
1975	2,396	1,911	560	1,235	432	841	317	1,362	9,054
1976	2,489	2,087	664	1,450	473	896	349	1,474	9,882
1977	2,619	2,009	633	1,457	456	900	391	1,611	10,076
1978	2,629	2,213	707	1,520	470	991	421	1,806	10,757

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(Thousands of short tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA		
		1978	1979	% Chg.	1978	1979	% Chg.	1978	1979	% Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	133.3	134.5	+ 0.9	530.3	532.0	+ 0.3	663.6	666.5	+ 0.4
	2 Q	133.0	124.8	- 6.2	537.1	510.0	- 5.0	670.1	634.8	- 5.3
	3 Q	84.6	120.3	+ 42.2	534.8	550.7	+ 3.0	619.4	671.0	+ 8.3
	4 Q	140.1			535.4			675.5		
	Year	491.0			2,137.6			2,628.6		
East North Central	1 Q	58.9	59.0	+ 0.2	467.3	493.5	+ 5.6	526.2	552.5	+ 5.0
	2 Q	54.1	57.9	+ 7.0	511.2	474.2	- 7.2	565.3	532.1	- 5.9
	3 Q	55.0	53.7	- 2.4	481.5	518.3	+ 7.6	536.5	572.0	+ 6.6
	4 Q	52.9			532.3			585.2		
	Year	220.9			1,992.3			2,213.2		
West North Central	1 Q	49.4	55.1	+ 11.5	135.1	133.6	- 1.1	184.5	188.7	+ 2.3
	2 Q	47.5	52.8	+ 11.2	129.5	133.5	+ 3.1	177.0	186.3	+ 5.3
	3 Q	47.8	56.1	+ 17.4	128.9	126.0	- 2.2	176.7	182.1	+ 3.1
	4 Q	49.4			119.7			169.1		
	Year	194.1			513.2			707.3		
South Atlantic	1 Q	147.4	147.9	+ 0.3	228.2	229.6	+ 0.6	375.6	377.5	+ 0.5
	2 Q	159.0	160.0	+ 0.6	254.1	208.9	- 17.8	413.1	368.9	- 10.7
	3 Q	138.7	186.5	+ 34.5	206.5	170.7	- 17.3	345.2	357.2	+ 3.5
	4 Q	141.5			244.6			386.1		
	Year	586.6			933.4			1,520.0		
East South Central	1 Q	84.6	80.1	- 5.3	40.7	30.1	- 26.0	125.3	110.2	- 12.1
	2 Q	82.3	86.5	+ 5.1	41.7	32.5	- 22.1	124.0	119.0	- 4.0
	3 Q	81.3	83.7	+ 3.0	26.4	36.7	+ 39.0	107.7	120.4	+ 11.8
	4 Q	86.0			26.9			112.9		
	Year	334.2			135.7			469.9		
West South Central	1 Q	226.8	228.8	+ 0.9	20.1	14.8	- 26.4	246.9	243.6	- 1.3
	2 Q	240.5	244.3	+ 1.6	11.8	18.4	+ 55.9	252.3	262.7	+ 4.1
	3 Q	220.1	242.5	+ 10.2	19.3	22.1	+ 14.5	239.4	264.6	+ 10.5
	4 Q	234.8			17.4			252.2		
	Year	922.2			68.6			990.8		
Mountain	1 Q	46.3	52.9	+ 14.3	51.0	67.0	+ 31.4	97.3	119.9	+ 23.2
	2 Q	49.2	54.1	+ 10.0	68.0	69.8	+ 2.6	117.2	123.9	+ 5.7
	3 Q	38.9	45.9	+ 18.0	61.9	54.0	- 12.8	100.8	99.9	- 0.9
	4 Q	44.9			61.5			106.4		
	Year	179.3			242.4			421.7		
Pacific	1 Q	202.5	197.0	- 2.7	226.6	254.9	+ 12.5	429.1	451.9	+ 5.3
	2 Q	203.9	202.4	- 0.7	312.9	271.2	- 13.3	516.8	473.6	- 8.4
	3 Q	154.0	224.6	+ 45.8	282.6	210.0	- 25.7	436.6	434.6	- 0.5
	4 Q	185.2			237.5			422.7		
	Year	745.6			1,059.6			1,805.2		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	949.2	955.3	+ 0.6	1,699.3	1,755.5	+ 3.3	2,648.5	2,710.8	+ 2.4
	2 Q	969.5	982.8	+ 1.4	1,866.3	1,718.5	- 7.9	2,835.8	2,701.3	- 4.7
	3 Q	820.4	1,013.3	+ 23.5	1,741.9	1,688.5	- 3.1	2,562.3	2,701.8	+ 5.4
	4 Q	934.8			1,775.3			2,710.1		
	Year	3,673.9			7,082.8			10,756.7		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of short tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS TOTAL	SHIPMENTS TO UNITED STATES	SHIPMENTS TO CANADA	SHIPMENTS TO OTHER MARKETS	INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS
United States							
1965	2,245	2,248	2,183	-	65	19	254
1966	2,483	2,480	2,414	-	66	21	274
1967	2,709	2,691	2,612	-	79	39	283
1968	3,045	3,056	2,944	-	112	27	284
1969	3,362	3,363	3,246	-	117	27	293
1970	3,464	3,457	3,316	-	141	33	315
1971	3,476	3,468	3,307	-	161	41	317
1972	3,656	3,671	3,549	-	122	27	328
1973	3,738	3,742	3,657	-	85	23	381
1974*	3,690	3,689	3,582	-	107	25	-
1974	3,561	3,560	3,457	-	103	25	213
1975	3,691	3,689	3,566	-	123	21	33
1976	3,736	3,727	3,632	-	95	29	57
1977	3,871	3,866	3,737	-	129	34	0
1978	3,767	3,779	3,674	-	105	22	0
Canada							
1965	7,720	7,747	6,094	590	1,063	150	-
1966	8,419	8,385	6,610	621	1,154	184	-
1967	8,051	7,968	6,263	638	1,067	268	-
1968	8,031	8,096	6,107	674	1,315	203	-
1969	8,758	8,741	6,417	709	1,615	220	-
1970	8,607	8,592	6,145	716	1,731	236	-
1971	8,455	8,362	6,146	721	1,495	332	-
1972	8,820	8,901	6,430	781	1,690	251	-
1973	9,140	9,199	6,855	859	1,485	193	-
1974*	9,946	9,998	7,239	923	1,836	146	-
1974	9,548	9,597	6,949	886	1,762	143	-
1975	7,679	7,727	5,488	864	1,375	95	-
1976	8,915	8,711	6,250	885	1,576	299	-
1977	8,988	9,005	6,339	909	1,757	282	-
1978	9,713	9,792	7,083	1,001	1,708	203	-
North America							
1965	9,965	9,995	8,277	590	1,128	169	254
1966	10,902	10,865	9,024	621	1,220	205	274
1967	10,760	10,659	8,875	638	1,146	307	283
1968	11,076	11,152	9,051	674	1,427	230	284
1969	12,120	12,104	9,663	709	1,732	247	293
1970	12,071	12,049	9,461	716	1,872	269	315
1971	11,931	11,830	9,453	721	1,656	373	317
1972	12,476	12,572	9,979	781	1,812	278	328
1973	12,878	12,941	10,512	859	1,570	216	381
1974*	13,636	13,687	10,821	923	1,943	171	-
1974	13,109	13,157	10,406	886	1,865	168	213
1975	11,370	11,416	9,054	864	1,498	116	33
1976	13,651	12,438	9,882	885	1,671	328	57
1977	12,859	12,871	10,076	909	1,886	316	0
1978	13,480	13,571	10,757	1,001	1,813	225	0

*Adjusted to 1973 Basis Weight

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION YEAR	U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION As Reported	U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION 30 Lb. Basis	Tonnage Loss Due to Newspaper Strikes
1965	8,460	7,931	43
1966	9,154	8,582	10
1967	9,238	8,660	42
1968	9,327	8,744	185
1969	9,855	9,239	57
1970	9,706	9,119	79
1971	9,835	9,250	104
1972	10,547	9,941	7
1973	10,794	10,197	17
1974	10,284	10,104	28
1975	9,254	9,174	7
1976	9,611	9,579	0
1977	10,228	10,231	6
1978	10,872	10,878	143

United States
Newspaper
Circulation
(Million Copies)

Year	Dailies	Sundays
1960	58.9	47.7
1961	59.3	48.2
1962	59.9	48.9
1963	58.9	46.8
1964	60.4	48.4
1965	60.4	48.6
1966	61.4	49.3
1967	61.6	49.2
1968	62.0	49.5
1969	62.0	49.7
1970	62.1	49.2
1971	62.2	49.7
1972	62.5	50.0
1973	63.1	51.7
1974	61.9	51.7
1975	60.7	51.1
1976	61.0	51.6
1977	61.5	52.4
1978P	62.0	54.0

Source: Editor & Publisher

FORECASTS OF U.S. ECONOMY

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1979				1980				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1979	1980
Merrill Lynch Economics - December, 1979 Based on Rev. 3rd qtr. data (1,434.4) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,430.6 +1.1	1,422.3 -2.3	1,434.4 +3.4	1,432.1 -0.6	1,410.1 - 6.0	1,393.5 - 4.6	1,392.1 -0.4	1,407.2 +4.4	1,429.9 +2.2	1,400.7 -2.0
The Conference Board - December, 1979 Based on Rev. 3rd qtr. data (1,434.4) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,430.6 +1.1	1,422.3 -2.3	1,434.4 +3.4	1,434.4 0.0	1,417.6 - 4.6	1,406.9 - 3.0	1,403.3 -1.0	1,418.1 +4.3	1,430.4 +2.2	1,411.5 -1.3
Chase Econometric - December, 1979 Based on Rev. 3rd qtr. data (1,434.4) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,430.6 +1.1	1,422.3 -2.3	1,434.4 +3.4	1,425.4 -2.5	1,403.0 - 6.1	1,396.9 - 1.7	1,400.9 +1.1	1,412.8 +3.4	1,428.2 +2.1	1,403.4 -1.7
MacKey - Shields Economics - November, 1979 Based on Rev. 3rd qtr. data (1,434.4) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,430.6 +1.1	1,422.3 -2.3	1,434.4 +3.4	1,424.0 -2.9	1,408.0 - 4.3	1,399.0 - 5.4	1,392.0 -0.8	1,412.0 +5.9	1,428.0 +2.0	1,400.0 -1.9

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1976 - 1,273.0
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2   Revised (second) 3rd quarter data is (1,433.3)

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - December, 1979 Based on 3rd qtr. data (152.2) % Change from next preceding quarter**	152.2 +4.0	151.9 -0.8	152.2 +0.8	151.3 -2.4	146.7 -11.7	142.6 -11.2	142.0 -1.0	144.8 +8.0	151.9 +4.0	144.0 -5.2

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES- BY MEDIA- PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T V	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.9	5.6	3.4	14.9	1.2	55.0	18.1	6.9	20.0
1975	29.9	5.2	3.3	14.8	1.2	54.4	18.6	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.3	1.1	53.2	19.9	6.9	20.0
1977	29.2	5.7	3.2	14.0	1.1	53.2	20.0	6.8	20.0
1978	29.0	5.9	3.2	13.8	1.1	53.0	20.2	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

Abitibi Southern Corporation
Boise Cascade Corporation
Boise Southern Company
Bowater Incorporated
Crown Zellerbach Corporation

Field Enterprises, Inc.
Garden State Paper Company
Georgia-Pacific Corporation
Great Northern Paper Company
Inland Empire Paper Company

International Paper Company
North Pacific Company
Publishers Paper Company
Southland Paper Division
of St.Regis Paper Co.
Southwest Forest Industries
Southeast Paper Mfg. Company

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of short tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			M Tons	%
1966	2,545	8,878	11,423	-
1967	2,844	9,294	12,138	+ 6.3
1968	3,176	9,655	12,831	+ 5.7
1969	3,374	9,675	13,049	+ 1.7
1970	3,533	9,845	13,378	+ 2.5
1971	3,642	10,240	13,882	+ 3.8
1972	3,694	10,300	13,994	+ 0.8
1973	3,819	10,337	14,156	+ 1.2
1974	3,889	10,474	14,363	+ 1.5
REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN BASIS WEIGHT (3)				
1974	3,722	10,038	13,760	-
1975	3,948	10,165	14,113	+ 2.6
1975	3,948	Revised 9,892(4)	13,840	-
1976	4,014	9,921	13,935	+ 0.7
1977	4,069	9,902	13,971	+ 0.3
1978	4,104	9,861	13,965	- 0.0
1979	4,109	10,031	14,140	+ 1.3
1980	4,545	10,141	14,686	+ 3.9
1981	5,119	10,472	15,591	+ 6.2
1982	5,433	11,014E	16,447	+ 5.5
1983	5,451	11,014E	16,465	+ 0.1

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979

(2) Source: CPPA E - Estimated

NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the basis weight of newsprint from 32 pounds, for 500 sheets measuring 24" x 36", to 30 pounds. A given area of printing surface of 30 pound paper weighs less than the same area of 32 pound paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

Company	Mill	Date (Month)	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1979					
Bowater	Calhoun, Tenn	Oct. '79	140,000	-	140,000
North Pacific	Longview, Wash.	July '79	210,000	-	210,000
Southeast	Dublin, Ga.	June '79	156,000	-	156,000
Georgia-Pacific	Woodland, Me.	3rd qtr. '79	(-90,000)	50,000(5)	(-40,000)
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, Va.	1st qtr. '80	175,000	-	175,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, La.	Mid. '80	180,000	-	180,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, Ca.	Mid. '81	37,800	-	37,800
North Pacific	Longview, Wa.	2nd qtr. '81	210,000	-	210,000
Publishers	Newberg, Ore.	Early '81	210,000	-	210,000
St. Regis	Houston, Tx.	Mid. '81	143,000*	-	143,000
Canadian Mills					
1979					
Consolidated - Bathurst	Port Alfred, Quebec & other mills	Late '79	55,000	-	55,000
	Unidentified		115,000	-	115,000
1980					
Kruger**	Bromptonville, Que.	1980	80,000	-	80,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, B.C.	Late '80	55,000	-	55,000
1981					
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River British Columbia	Mid. '81	209,000	-	209,000
Abitibi Price	Stephenville, Newfoundland	Mid. '81	150,000	-	150,000
1982					
British Columbia	Crofton, B.C.	Early '82	187,000	-	187,000
Crown	Elk Falls, B.C.	Jan. '82	198,000	-	198,000
Donohue Normick	Amos, Quebec	Mid. '82	165,000	-	165,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements.

** Net increase - speed up of machine at Bromptonville, less transfer of machine at Three Rivers to coated papers.

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NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT **

REPORT FOR DECEMBER 1979

*U.S. estimated consumption for 1979 was up 3.2% over 1978 and 9.6% over 1977.

*On January 18, 1980, we issued Newsprint Exports under separate cover (formerly page 7 of Monthly Report.) We hope this will help the timeliness of the Monthly Statistical Report.

	SHORT TONS						METRIC TONS	
	DECEMBER			TOTAL YEAR			TOTAL YEAR	
(Thousands of Tons)	1978	1979	% Change	1978	1979	% Change	1978	1979
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS								
NORTH AMERICA								
Production	1,077	1,144	+ 6.3	13,480	13,696	+1.6	12,229	12,425
% of Capacity	91.1	97.1	+ 6.6	96.4	96.0	-0.4	96.4	96.0
Shipments	1,144	1,199	+ 4.8	13,571	13,725	+1.1	12,311	12,451
UNITED STATES								
Production	309	341	+10.4	3,767	4,096	+8.7	3,417	3,716
% of Capacity	79.1	89.1	+12.6	91.0	94.9	+4.3	91.0	94.9
Shipments	311	350	+12.6	3,779	4,100	+8.5	3,428	3,720
CANADA								
Production	768	303	+ 4.6	9,713	9,600	-1.2	8,812	8,709
% of Capacity	97	101	+ 4.1	98	97	-1.0	98	97
Shipments	833	849	+ 1.9	9,792	9,625	-1.7	8,883	8,731
U.S. Consumption								
(525) ANPA Newspapers	636	639	+ 0.5	7,106	7,356	+3.5	6,447	6,673
Estimated Total	988R	950P	- 3.8	10,874R	11,218P	+3.2	9,865R	10,177R
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	728	692	- 4.9				660	628
North American Mills – Stocks	225	196	-12.9				204	178

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In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., the U.S. Bureau of Census, Statistics Canada and Scannews.

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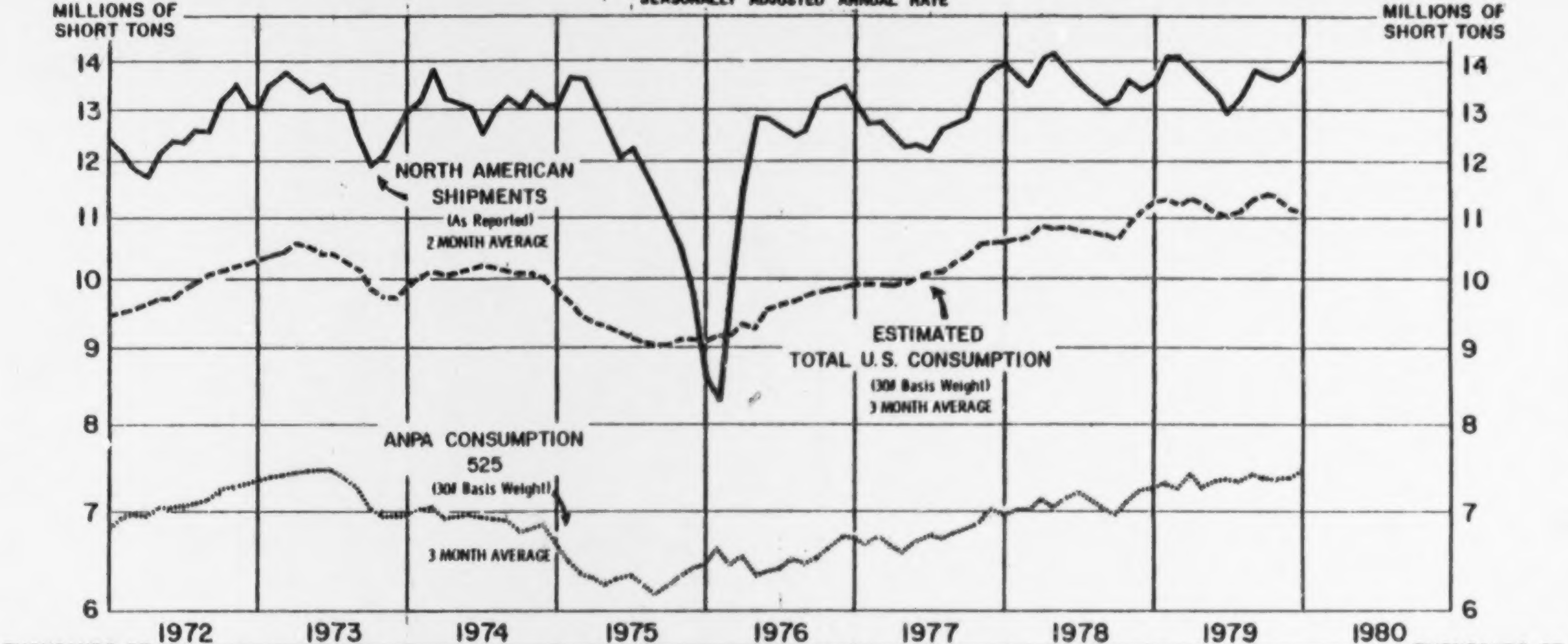
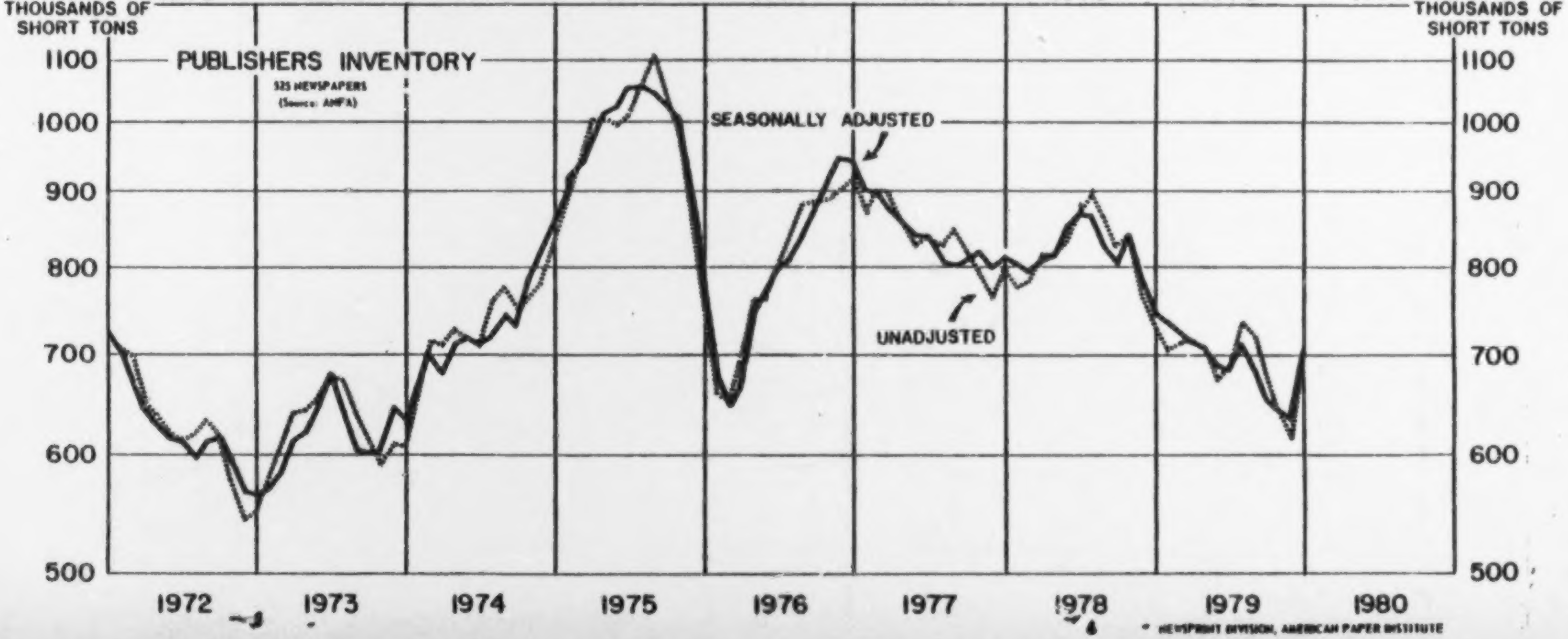
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE





* NEWSPRINT DIVISION, AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

(In thousands of short tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	NORTH AMERICA											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory - End of Month			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,[illegible].4	1,128.9	1,145.9	+ 1.5	971.1	1,029.9	1,097.3	+ 6.5	419.5	415.3	274.1	-34.0
FEBRUARY	986.3	1,074.5	1,061.0	- 1.3	939.0	997.2	1,034.5	+ 3.7	466.8	492.6	300.6	-39.0
MARCH	1,063.4	1,174.1	1,173.7	- 0.03	1,059.8	1,283.3	1,190.2	- 7.3	470.4	383.4	284.0	-25.9
APRIL	1,044.0	1,163.9	1 115.2	- 4.2	1,034.3	1,123.8	1,113.5	- 0.9	480.1	423.5	285.7	-32.5
MAY	1,084.9	1,176.2	1,134.8	- 3.5	1,078.1	1,232.6	1,161.9	- 5.7	486.8	367.1	258.6	-29.6
JUNE	1,098.1	1,142.2	1,128.0	- 1.2	1,109.3	1,191.6	1,141.6	- 4.2	475.7	317.7	245.0	-22.9
JULY	1,035.3	1,086.7	1,125.5	+ 3.6	1,043.2	1,078.1	1,127.5	+ 4.6	467.9	326.4	243.0	-25.6
AUGUST	1,125.4	1,094.8	1,166.2	+ 6.5	1,094.6	1,089.8	1,177.2	+ 8.0	498.6	331.3	231.8	-30.0
SEPTEMBER	1,011.1	1,077.4	1,102.3	+ 2.3	1,044.0	1,086.5	1,072.6	- 1.3	465.7	322.2	261.6	-18.8
OCTOBER	1,175.7	1,181.7	1,210.5	+ 2.4	1,194.0	1,200.7	1,228.5	+ 2.3	447.5	303.2	243.6	-19.7
NOVEMBER	1,164.2	1,103.1	1,188.5	+ 7.7	1,144.5	1,113.2	1,181.1	+ 6.1	467.1	293.0	250.9	-14.4
DECEMBER	1,007.9	1,076.9	1,144.6	+ 6.3	1,158.7	1,144.3	1,199.1	+ 4.8	316.3	225.6	196.4	-12.9
TOTAL YEAR	12,858.7	13,480.4	13,696.2	+ 1.6	12,870.6	13,571.0	13,725.0	+ 1.1				

	DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS											
	To United States								To Other Markets			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	777.4	841.4	885.8	+ 5.3	69.1	74.7	82.9	+11.0	124.6	113.8	128.6	+13.0
FEBRUARY	755.1	810.1	863.9	+ 6.6	61.4	81.5	77.6	- 4.8	122.5	105.6	93.0	-11.9
MARCH	841.5	997.0	961.1	- 3.6	78.6	95.8	83.0	-13.4	139.7	190.5	146.1	-23.3
APRIL	825.1	914.4	880.1	- 3.8	76.6	80.7	88.9	+10.2	132.6	128.7	144.5	+12.3
MAY	821.5	986.0	908.3	- 7.9	84.4	88.1	96.0	+ 9.0	172.2	158.5	157.6	- 0.6
JUNE	852.2	935.4	912.9	- 2.4	83.3	84.1	91.0	+ 8.2	173.8	172.1	137.7	-20.0
JULY	785.0	832.9	907.3	+ 8.9	62.4	77.1	75.3	- 2.3	195.8	168.1	144.9	-13.8
AUGUST	852.9	87[illegible].2	940.0	+ 7.4	78.9	71.4	85.6	+19.9	162.8	143.2	151.6	+ 5.9
SEPTEMBER	823.3	854.2	854.5	+ 0.04	75.8	79.8	85.3	+ 6.9	144.9	152.5	132.8	-12.9
OCTOBER	935.6	955.9	975.9	+ 2.1	82.4	95.1	96.2	+ 1.2	176.0	149.7	156.4	+ 4.5
NOVEMBER	917.3	858.2	952.9	+11.0	81.3	89.1	93.3	+ 4.7	145.9	165.9	134.9	-18.7
DECEMBER	888.9	899.5R	958.0	+ 6.5	74.9	83.9	90.5	+ 7.9	194.9	160.9R	150.6	- 6.4
TOTAL YEAR	10,075.8	10,760.2R	11,000.7	+ 2.2	909.1	1,001.3	1,045.6	+ 4.4	1,885.7	1,809.5R	1,678.7	- 7.2

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association
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NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of short tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory - End of Month			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	329.7	318.1	318.0	- 0.03	318.2	309.4	317.9	+ 2.7	40.8	42.9	22.3	- 48.0
FEBRUARY	296.6	307.4	310.9	+ 1.1	290.6	309.4	309.1	- 0.1	46.8	41.0	24.1	- 41.2
MARCH	337.2	348.4	350.7	+ 0.7	326.0	355.9	353.0	- 0.8	58.1	33.5	21.8	- 34.9
APRIL	311.9	329.8	321.5	- 2.5	305.4	325.3	323.8	- 0.5	64.5	38.0	19.5	- 48.7
MAY	329.8	333.4	341.6	+ 2.5	331.5	337.4	339.4	+ 0.6	62.7	34.0	21.7	- 36.2
JUNE	337.7	334.9	339.9	+ 1.5	341.3	338.5	337.9	- 0.2	59.2	30.3	23.8	- 21.5
JULY	314.3	248.5	334.6	+34.6	313.5	245.5	337.4	+37.4	60.1	33.4	21.0	- 37.1
AUGUST	342.6	271.6	359.5	+32.4	337.6	277.0	357.7	+29.1	65.0	27.8	22.6	- 18.7
SEPTEMBER	298.3	318.8	340.0	+ 6.6	305.8	316.4	339.2	+ 7.2	57.6	30.2	23.5	- 22.2
OCTOBER	335.9	326.7	371.2	+13.6	338.1	332.3	370.7	+11.6	55.4	24.6	24.0	- 2.4
NOVEMBER	329.7	320.7	366.5	+14.3	334.2	321.6	364.1	+13.2	50.9	23.7	26.4	+ 11.4
DECEMBER	306.8	309.2	341.5	+10.4	323.6	310.6	349.7	+12.6	34.2	22.3	18.2	- 18.4
TOTAL YEAR	3,870.5	3,767.5	4,095.9	+ 8.7	3,865.8	3,779.3	4,099.9	+ 8.5				

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	304.6	305.6	306.7	+ 0.4	13.6	3.8	11.2	+194.7	0	0	7.7	-
FEBRUARY	283.5	299.0	305.9	+ 2.3	7.1	10.4	3.2	- 69.2	0	0	13.3	-
MARCH	318.5	344.6	342.7	- 0.6	7.5	11.3	10.3	- 8.8	0	0	2.5	-
APRIL	302.4	317.4	318.0	+ 0.2	3.0	7.9	5.8	- 26.6	0	0	10.4	-
MAY	317.3	328.0	334.3	+ 1.9	14.2	9.4	5.1	- 45.7	0	0	20.4	-
JUNE	324.3	324.1	330.5	+ 2.0	17.0	14.4	7.4	- 48.6	0	0	19.2	-
JULY	297.5	241.6	332.7	+37.7	16.0	3.9	4.7	+ 20.5	0	0	18.3	-
AUGUST	322.5	274.3	348.8	+27.2	15.1	2.7	8.9	+229.6	0	0	7.7	-
SEPTEMBER	301.9	304.5	331.8	+ 9.0	3.9	11.9	7.4	- 37.8	0	0	2.0	-
OCTOBER	327.5	320.5	360.0	+12.3	10.6	11.8	10.7	- 9.3	0	0	13.8	-
NOVEMBER	322.6	312.6	353.7	+13.1	11.6	9.0	10.4	+ 15.6	0	0	17.3	-
DECEMBER	314.4	301.7	339.4	+12.5	9.2	8.9	10.3	+ 15.7	0	0		
									0	0		
TOTAL YEAR	3,737.0	3,673.9	4,004.5	+ 9.0	128.8	105.4	95.4	- 9.5	0	0	132.6 (11 mos.)	

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of short tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

CANADA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory - End of Month			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	732.7	810.8	827.9	+ 2.1	652.9	720.5	779.4	+ 8.2	378.7	372.4	251.8	-32.4
FEBRUARY	689.7	767.1	750.1	- 2.2	648.4	687.8	725.4	+ 5.5	420.0	451.6	276.5	-38.8
MARCH	726.2	825.7	823.0	- 0.3	733.8	927.4	837.2	- 9.7	412.3	349.9	262.2	-25.1
APRIL	732.1	834.1	793.7	- 4.8	728.9	798.5	789.7	- 1.1	415.6	385.5	266.2	-30.9
MAY	755.1	842.8	793.2	- 5.9	746.6	895.2	822.5	- 8.1	424.1	333.1	236.9	-28.9
JUNE	760.4	807.3	788.1	- 2.4	768.0	853.1	803.7	- 5.8	416.5	287.4	221.2	-23.0
JULY	721.0	838.2	790.9	- 5.6	729.7	832.6	790.1	- 5.1	407.8	293.0	222.0	-24.2
AUGUST	782.8	823.2	806.7	- 2.0	757.0	812.8	819.5	+ 0.8	433.6	303.5	209.2	-31.1
SEPTEMBER	712.8	758.6	762.3	+ 0.5	738.2	770.1	733.4	- 4.8	408.1	292.0	238.1	-18.5
OCTOBER	839.8	855.0	839.3	- 1.8	855.9	868.4	857.8	- 1.2	392.1	278.6	219.6	-21.2
NOVEMBER	834.5	782.4	822.0	+ 5.1	810.3	791.6	817.0	+ 3.2	416.2	269.3	224.5	-16.6
DECEMBER	701.1	767.7	803.1	+ 4.6	835.1	833.7	849.4	+ 1.9	282.1	203.3	178.2	-12.3
TOTAL YEAR	8,988.2	9,712.9	9,600.3	- 1.2	9,004.8	9,791.7	9,625.1	- 1.7				

DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	472.8	535.8	579.1	+ 8.1	69.1	74.7	82.9	+11.0	111.0	110.0	117.4	+ 6.7
FEBRUARY	471.6	511.1	558.0	+ 9.2	61.4	81.5	77.6	- 4.8	115.4	95.2	89.8	- 5.7
MARCH	523.0	652.4	618.4	- 5.2	78.6	95.8	83.0	-13.4	132.2	179.2	135.8	-24.2
APRIL	522.7	597.0	562.1	- 5.8	76.6	80.7	88.9	+10.2	129.6	120.8	138.7	+14.8
MAY	504.2	658.0	574.0	-12.8	84.4	88.1	96.0	+ 9.0	158.0	149.1	152.5	+ 2.3
JUNE	527.9	611.3	582.4	- 4.7	83.3	84.1	91.0	+ 8.2	156.8	157.7	130.3	-17.4
JULY	487.5	591.3	574.6	- 2.8	62.4	77.1	75.3	- 2.3	179.8	164.2	140.2	-14.6
AUGUST	530.4	600.9	591.2	- 1.6	78.9	71.4	85.6	+19.9	147.7	140.5	142.7	+ 1.6
SEPTEMBER	521.4	549.7	522.7	- 4.9	75.8	79.8	85.3	+ 6.9	141.0	140.6	125.4	-10.8
OCTOBER	608.1	635.4	615.9	- 3.1	82.4	95.1	96.2	+ 1.2	165.4	137.9	145.7	+ 5.7
NOVEMBER	594.7	545.6	599.2	+ 9.8	81.3	89.1	93.3	+ 4.7	134.3	156.9	124.5	-20.7
DECEMBER	574.5	597.8R	618.6	+ 3.5	74.9	83.9	90.5	+ 7.9	185.7	152.0R	140.3	- 7.7
TOTAL YEAR	6,338.8	7,086.3R	6,996.2	- 1.3	909.1	1,001.3	1,045.6	+ 4.4	1,756.9	1,704.1R	1,583.3	- 7.1

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association
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NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of short tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA 525 Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump. *		
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979
JANUARY	529.2	547.9	554.6	+ 1.2	788.0	838.0	856.0	+ 2.1	67.2	65.4	64.8
FEBRUARY	482.6	521.1	547.4	+ 5.0	712.0	799.0	847.0	+ 6.0	67.8	65.2	64.6
MARCH	571.5	599.6	628.6	+ 4.8	854.0	908.0	965.0R	+ 6.3	66.9	66.0	65.2
APRIL	563.2	619.9	635.5	+ 2.2	853.0	953.0	976.0	+ 2.4	66.0	65.0	64.9
MAY	599.0	630.6	647.0	+ 2.6	897.0	957.0	977.0	+ 2.1	66.8	65.9	66.2
JUNE	556.3	585.9	600.9	+ 2.6	834.0	879.0	898.0	+ 2.2	66.7	66.7	66.9
JULY	523.6	560.5	571.9	+ 2.0	792.0	848.0	866.0	+ 2.1	66.1	66.1	66.0
AUGUST	539.5	557.6	595.3	+ 6.8	816.0	859.0	912.0	+ 6.2	66.1	64.9	65.3
SEPTEMBER	561.4	566.1	616.7	+ 8.9	858.0	870.0	951.0	+ 9.3	65.4	65.1	64.8
OCTOBER	628.4	623.6	659.0	+ 5.7	968.0	958.0	1,019.0	+ 6.4	64.9	65.1	64.6
NOVEMBER	620.4	656.8	661.9	+ 0.8	942.0	1,017.0R	1,001.0R	- 1.6	65.9	64.6	66.1R
DECEMBER	596.9	636.4	639.5	+ 0.5	914.0	988.0R	950.0P	- 3.8	65.3	64.5	67.3P
TOTAL YEAR	6,772.0	7,106.0	7,356.3	+ 3.5	10,228.0	10,874.0R	11,218.0	+ 3.2			

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* 5 Month Moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. - 3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted- Annual Basis			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,680	7,017	7,316	+ 4.3	9,940	10,730	11,290	+ 5.2	12,754	13,454	14,129	+ 5.0
FEBRUARY	6,753	7,002	7,267	+ 3.8	9,960	10,740	11,250	+ 4.7	12,754	13,540	14,075	+ 4.0
MARCH	6,623	7,168	7,413	+ 3.4	9,900	10,860	11.370	+ 4.7	12,060	14,533	13,546	- 6.8
APRIL	6,593	7,039	7,269	+ 3.3	9,990	10,830	11,200	+ 3.4	12,440	13,820	13,504	- 2.3
MAY	6,700	7,144	7,328	+ 2.6	10,030	10,840	11,070	+ 2.1	12,182	13,817	13,154	- 4.8
JUNE	6,770	7,210	7,372	+ 2.2	10,150	10,810	11,020	+ 1.9	12,260	13,240	12,720	- 3.9
JULY	6,729	7,139	7,366	+ 3.2	10,180	10,800	11,160	+ 3.3	12,793	13,357	13,920	+ 4.2
AUGUST	6,795	7,003	7,418	+ 5.9	10,280	10,790	11,360	+ 5.3	12,608	12,854	13,782	+ 7.2
SEPTEMBER	6,828	6,972	7,387	+ 6.0	10,440	10,710	11,400	+ 6.4	13,121	13,598	13,766	+ 1.2
OCTOBER	6,873	7,122	7,345R	+ 3.1	10,590	10,940	11,370R	+ 3.9	13,897	13,672	13,714	+ 0.3
NOVEMBER	7,018	7,235	7,397R	+ 2.2	10,650	11,200	11,190R	- 0.1	13,808	13,231	13,937	+ 5.3
DECEMBER	6,954	7,276	7,490P	+ 2.9	10,650	11,280	11,130P	- 1.3	13,968	13,945	14,593	+ 4.6

P - Preliminary
R - Revised
Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of short tons)

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK -END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY 525 CONSUMERS' STOCKS - ON HAND IN TRANSIT					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Published by ANPA *					
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979
JANUARY	873.0	774.3	705.2	- 8.9	901.3	805.7	735.5	- 8.7	51	43	39			
FEBRUARY	895.8	784.4	712.5	- 9.2	896.7	795.5	724.9	- 8.9	52	42	36			
MARCH	897.0	818.5	717.0	-12.4	877.4	810.9	712.9	-12.1	49	42	35			
APRIL	873.5	818.1	708.2	-13.4	866.0	817.2	709.4	-13.2	47	40	34			
MAY	831.0	834.6	671.4	-19.6	847.5	855.0	688.3	-19.5	43	41	32			
JUNE	834.5	876.3	689.1	-21.4	839.2	869.9	683.6	-21.4	45	45	34			
JULY	831.9	898.5	736.4	-18.0	808.2	866.7	710.8	-18.0	49	50	40			
AUGUST	850.7	867.6	721.3	-16.9	804.2	823.6	685.0	-16.8	49	48	38			
SEPTEMBER	826.6	828.6	674.1	-18.6	802.9	805.4	653.8	-18.8	44	44	33			
OCTOBER	799.6	840.3	643.8	-23.4	813.3	840.8	643.2	-23.5	39	42	30			
NOVEMBER	763.4	760.8	613.5	-19.4	798.2	784.3	631.2	-19.5	37	35	28			
DECEMBER	795.8	727.6	691.8	- 4.9	812.6	743.7	705.9	- 5.1	41	35	34			

* - Based on consumption in the preceding month

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association

	OPERATING RATES											
	To United States				Canada				North America			
	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.	1977	1978	1979	% Chg.
JANUARY	93.6	96.0	93.5*	- 2.6	86	96	96	–	88.2	96.0	95.3*	- 0.7
FEBRUARY	97.4	97.9	92.7	- 5.3	90	99	97	- 2.0	92.1	98.7	95.7	- 3.0
MARCH	97.8	97.2	96.5	- 0.7	85	100	98	- 2.0	88.6	99.1	97.5	- 1.6
APRIL	95.7	97.2	96.2	- 1.0	89	100	95	- 5.0	90.9	99.2	95.3	- 3.9
MAY	98.0	96.9	98.0	+ 1.1	90	101	94	- 6.9	92.3	99.8	95.2	- 4.6
JUNE	99.0	97.0	96.1	- 0.9	92	99	96	- 3.0	94.0	98.4	96.0	- 2.4
JULY	91.0	85.0	91.3	+ 7.4	83	98	92	- 6.1	85.0	94.6	91.8	- 3.0
AUGUST	96.6	76.9	97.1	+26.3	92	99	96	- 3.0	93.3	92.3	96.3	+ 4.3
SEPTEMBER	90.3	87.2	94.5	+ 8.4	89	97	96	- 1.0	89.4	93.9	95.5	+ 1.7
OCTOBER	97.6	91.0	97.1	+ 6.7	97	100	97	- 3.0	97.2	97.3	97.0	- 0.3
NOVEMBER	98.9	93.2	96.5	+ 3.5	98	97	100	+ 3.1	98.3	95.9	98.9	+ 3.1
DECEMBER	89.3	79.1*	89.1	+12.6	91	97	101	+ 4.1	90.5	91.1*	97.1	+ 6.6
TOTAL YEAR	95.4	91.0	94.9	+ 4.3	90	98	97	- 1.0	91.7	96.3	96.0	- 0.4

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association

* - Being investigated for accuracy

(thousands of short tons)

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	473	279	194	546	296	725	105	689	3,307
1972	499	310	201	604	312	767	129	727	3,549
1973	476	307	190	634	354	824	178	694	3,657
1974*	469	253	176	620	347	805	174	738	3,582
1974	453	244	170	598	335	777	168	712	3,457
1975	510	280	213	607	329	773	157	697	3,566
1976	528	258	204	649	331	810	150	702	3,632
1977	554	238	206	642	334	819	166	778	3,737
1978	491	221	194	587	334	922	179	746	3,674
Canada									
1971	2,171	1,830	394	649	114	26	206	756	6,146
1972	2,292	1,867	450	737	129	41	194	720	6,430
1973	2,339	1,924	478	870	141	61	216	826	6,855
1974*	2,466	2,116	503	889	175	81	212	797	7,239
1974	2,367	2,031	483	854	167	78	204	765	6,949
1975	1,886	1,631	347	628	103	68	160	665	5,488
1976	1,961	1,829	460	801	142	86	199	772	6,250
1977	2,063	1,771	427	815	122	81	225	833	6,339
1978	2,138	1,992	513	933	136	69	242	1,063R	7,086R
North America									
1971	2,644	2,109	588	1,195	410	751	311	1,445	9,453
1972	2,791	2,177	651	1,341	441	808	323	1,447	9,979
1973	2,815	2,231	668	1,504	495	885	394	1,520	10,512
1974*	2,935	2,369	679	1,509	522	886	386	1,535	10,821
1974	2,820	2,275	653	1,452	502	855	372	1,477	10,406
1975	2,396	1,911	560	1,235	432	841	317	1,362	9,054
1976	2,489	2,087	664	1,450	473	896	349	1,474	9,882
1977	2,619	2,009	633	1,457	456	900	391	1,611	10,076
1978	2,629	2,213	707	1,520	470	991	421	1,809R	10,760R

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights
R - Revised

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(Thousands of short tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA		
		1978	1979	% Chg.	1978	1979	% Chg.	1978	1979	% Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	133.3	134.5	+ 0.9	530.3	532.0	+ 0.3	663.6	666.5	+ 0.4
	2 Q	133.0	124.8	- 6.2	537.1	510.0	- 5.0	670.1	634.8	- 5.3
	3 Q	84.6	120.3	+ 42.2	534.8	550.7	+ 3.0	619.4	671.0	+ 8.3
	4 Q	140.1			535.4			675.5		
	Year	491.0			2,137.6			2,628.6		
East North Central	1 Q	58.9	59.0	+ 0.2	467.3	493.5	+ 5.6	526.2	552.5	+ 5.0
	2 Q	54.1	57.9	+ 7.0	511.2	474.2	- 7.2	565.3	532.1	- 5.9
	3 Q	55.0	53.7	- 2.4	481.5	518.3	+ 7.6	536.5	572.0	+ 6.6
	4 Q	52.9			532.3			585.2		
	Year	220.9			1,992.3			2,213.2		
West North Central	1 Q	49.4	55.1	+ 11.5	135.1	133.6	- 1.1	184.5	188.7	+ 2.3
	2 Q	47.5	52.8	+ 11.2	129.5	133.5	+ 3.1	177.0	186.3	+ 5.3
	3 Q	47.8	56.1	+ 17.4	128.9	126.0	- 2.2	176.7	182.1	+ 3.1
	4 Q	49.4			119.7			169.1		
	Year	194.1			513.2			707.3		
South Atlantic	1 Q	147.4	147.9	+ 0.3	228.2	229.6	+ 0.6	375.6	377.5	+ 0.5
	2 Q	159.0	160.0	+ 0.6	254.1	208.9	- 17.8	413.1	368.9	- 10.7
	3 Q	138.7	186.5	+ 34.5	206.5	170.7	- 17.3	345.2	357.2	+ 3.5
	4 Q	141.5			244.6			386.1		
	Year	586.6			933.4			1,520.0		
East South Central	1 Q	84.6	80.1	- 5.3	40.7	30.1	- 26.0	125.3	110.2	- 12.1
	2 Q	82.3	86.5	+ 5.1	41.7	32.5	- 22.1	124.0	119.0	- 4.0
	3 Q	81.3	83.7	+ 3.0	26.4	36.7	+ 39.0	107.7	120.4	+ 11.8
	4 Q	86.0			26.9			112.9		
	Year	334.2			135.7			469.9		
West South Central	1 Q	226.8	228.8	+ 0.9	20.1	14.8	- 26.4	246.9	243.6	- 1.3
	2 Q	240.5	244.3	+ 1.6	11.8	18.4	+ 55.9	252.3	262.7	+ 4.1
	3 Q	220.1	242.5	+ 10.2	19.3	22.1	+ 14.5	239.4	264.6	+ 10.5
	4 Q	234.8			17.4			252.2		
	Year	922.2			68.6			990.8		
Mountain	1 Q	46.3	52.9	+ 14.3	51.0	67.0	+ 31.4	97.3	119.9	+ 23.2
	2 Q	49.2	54.1	+ 10.0	68.0	69.8	+ 2.6	117.2	123.9	+ 5.7
	3 Q	38.9	45.9	+ 18.0	61.9	54.0	- 12.8	100.8	99.9	- 0.9
	4 Q	44.9			61.5			106.4		
	Year	179.3			242.4			421.7		
Pacific	1 Q	202.5	197.0	- 2.7	226.6	254.9	+ 12.5	429.1	451.9	+ 5.3
	2 Q	203.9	202.4	- 0.7	312.9	271.2	- 13.3	516.8	473.6	- 8.4
	3 Q	154.0	224.6	+ 45.8	282.6	210.0	- 25.7	436.6	434.6	- 0.5
	4 Q	185.2			241.0R			426.2R		
	Year	745.6			1,063.1R			1,808.7R		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	949.2	955.3	+ 0.6	1,699.3	1,755.5	+ 3.3	2,648.5	2,710.8	+ 2.4
	2 Q	969.5	982.8	+ 1.4	1,866.3	1,718.5	- 7.9	2,835.8	2,701.3	- 4.7
	3 Q	820.4	1,013.3	+ 23.5	1,741.9	1,688.5	- 3.1	2,562.3	2,701.8	+ 5.4
	4 Q	934.8			1,778.8R			2,713.6R		
	Year	3,673.9			7,086.3R			10,760.2R		

R - Revised

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of short tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS TOTAL	SHIPMENTS TO UNITED STATES	SHIPMENTS TO CANADA	SHIPMENTS TO OTHER MARKETS	INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS
United States							
1965	2,245	2,248	2,183	-	65	19	254
1966	2,483	2,480	2,414	-	66	21	274
1967	2,709	2,691	2,612	-	79	39	283
1968	3,045	3,056	2,944	-	112	27	284
1969	3,362	3,363	3,246	-	117	27	293
1970	3,464	3,457	3,316	-	141	33	315
1971	3,476	3,468	3,307	-	161	41	317
1972	3,656	3,671	3,549	-	122	27	328
1973	3,738	3,742	3,657	-	85	23	381
1974*	3,690	3,689	3,582	-	107	25	-
1974	3,561	3,560	3,457	-	103	25	213
1975	3,691	3,689	3,566	-	123	21	33
1976	3,736	3,727	3,632	-	95	29	57
1977	3,871	3,866	3,737	-	129	34	0
1978	3,767	3,779	3,674	-	105	22	0
Canada							
1965	7,720	7,747	6,094	590	1,063	150	-
1966	8,419	8,385	6,610	621	1,154	184	-
1967	8,051	7,968	6,263	638	1,067	268	-
1968	8,031	8,096	6,107	674	1,315	203	-
1969	8,758	8,741	6,417	709	1,615	220	-
1970	8,607	8,592	6,145	716	1,731	236	-
1971	8,455	8,362	6,146	721	1,495	332	-
1972	8,820	8,901	6,430	781	1,690	251	-
1973	9,140	9,199	6,855	859	1,485	193	-
1974*	9,946	9,998	7,239	923	1,836	146	-
1974	9,548	9,597	6,949	886	1,762	143	-
1975	7,679	7,727	5,488	864	1,375	95	-
1976	8,915	8,711	6,250	885	1,576	299	-
1977	8,988	9,005	6,339	909	1,757	282	-
1978	9,713	9,792	7,087R	1,001	1,704R	203	-
North America							
1965	9,965	9,995	8,277	590	1,128	169	254
1966	10,902	10,865	9,024	621	1,220	205	274
1967	10,760	10,659	8,875	638	1,146	307	283
1968	11,076	11,152	9,051	674	1,427	230	284
1969	12,120	12,104	9,663	709	1,732	247	293
1970	12,071	12,049	9,461	716	1,872	269	315
1971	11,931	11,830	9,453	721	1,656	373	317
1972	12,476	12,572	9,979	781	1,812	278	328
1973	12,878	12,941	10,512	859	1,570	216	381
1974*	13,636	13,687	10,821	923	1,943	171	-
1974	13,109	13,157	10,406	886	1,865	168	213
1975	11,370	11,416	9,054	864	1,498	116	33
1976	12,651	12,438	9,882	885	1,671	328	57
1977	12,859	12,871	10,076	909	1,886	316	0
1978	13,480	13,571	10,761R	1,001	1,809R	225	0

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION YEAR	U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION As Reported	U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION 30 Lb. Basis	Tonnage Loss Due to Newspaper Strikes
1965	8,460	7,931	43
1966	9,154	8,582	10
1967	9,238	8,660	42
1968	9,327	8,744	185
1969	9,855	9,239	57
1970	9,706	9,119	79
1971	9,835	9,250	104
1972	10,547	9,941	7
1973	10,794	10,197	17
1974	10,284	10,104	28
1975	9,254	9,174	7
1976	9,611	9,579	0
1977	10,228	10,231	6
1978	10,874R	10,880R	143

United States
Newspaper
Circulation
(Million Copies)

Year	Dailies	Sundays
1960	58.9	47.7
1961	59.3	48.2
1962	59.9	48.9
1963	58.9	46.8
1964	60.4	48.4
1965	60.4	48.6
1966	61.4	49.3
1967	61.6	49.2
1968	62.0	49.5
1969	62.0	49.7
1970	62.1	49.2
1971	62.2	49.7
1972	62.5	50.0
1973	63.1	51.7
1974	61.9	51.7
1975	60.7	51.1
1976	61.0	51.6
1977	61.5	52.4
1978P	62.0	54.0

*Adjusted to 1973 Basis Weight   R - Revised

Source: Editor & Publisher

FORECASTS OF U.S. ECONOMY

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1979				1980				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1979	1980
Merrill Lynch Economics - January, 1980 Based on Rev. (second) 3rd qtr. data (1,433.3) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,430.6 +1.1	1,422.3 -2.3	1,433.3 +3.1	1,438.9 +1.6	1,417.3 -5.9	1,403.1 -4.0	1,397.7 -1.5	1,405.0 +2.1	1,431.3 +2.3	1,405.8 -1.8
The Conference Board - December, 1979 Based on Rev. 3rd qtr. data (1,434.4) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,430.6 +1.1	1,422.3 -2.3	1,434.6 +3.4	1,434.6 0.0	1,417.6 -4.6	1,406.9 -3.0	1,403.3 -1.0	1,418.1 +4.3	1,430.4 +2.2	1,411.5 -1.3
Chase Econometric - January, 1980 Based on Rev. (second) 3rd qtr. data (1,433.3) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,430.6 +1.1	1,422.3 -2.3	1,433.3 +3.1	1,430.3 -0.8	1,405.4 -6.8	1,398.5 -1.9	1,398.5 0.0	1,410.6 +3.5	1,429.1 +2.1	1,403.2 -1.8
MacKay - Shields Economics- November, 1979 Based on Rev. 3rd qtr. data (1,434.4) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,430.6 +1.1	1,422.3 -2.3	1,434.6 +3.4	1,424.0 -2.9	1,408.0 -4.3	1,399.0 -5.4	1,392.0 -0.8	1,412.0 +5.9	1,428.0 +2.0	1,400.0 -1.9

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1976 - 1,273.0
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2

Pre. 4th qtr. data is 1,438.4

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - January, 1980 Based on Rev. 3rd qtr. data (152.3) % Change from next preceding quarter**	152.2 +6.0	151.9 -0.8	152.3 +0.9	151.5 -2.1	148.1 -8.7	145.0 -8.0	143.9 -3.1	145.1 +3.6	152.0 +4.0	145.5 -4.2

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES - BY MEDIA - PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T V	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	6.4	13.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.9	5.6	3.4	14.9	1.2	55.0	18.1	6.9	20.0
1975	29.9	5.2	3.3	14.8	1.2	54.4	18.6	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.3	1.1	53.2	19.9	6.9	20.0
1977	29.2	5.7	3.2	14.0	1.1	53.2	20.0	6.8	20.0
1978	29.0	5.9	3.2	13.8	1.1	53.0	20.2	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

Abitibi Southern Corporation
Boise Cascade Corporation
Boise Southern Company
Bowater Incorporated
Crown Zellerbach Corporation
Field Enterprises, Inc.
Garden State Paper Company
Georgia-Pacific Corporation
Great Northern Paper Company
Inland Empire Paper Company
International Paper Company
North Pacific Company
Publishers Paper Company
Southland Paper Division
of St.Regis Paper Co.
Southwest Forest Industries
Southeast Paper Mfg. Company

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of short tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			M Tons	%
1966	2,545	8,878	11,423	-
1967	2,844	9,294	12,138	+ 6.3
1968	3,176	9,655	12,831	+ 5.7
1969	3,374	9,675	13,049	+ 1.7
1970	3,533	9,845	13,378	+ 2.5
1971	3,642	10,240	13,882	+ 3.8
1972	3,694	10,300	13,994	+ 0.8
1973	3,819	10,337	14,156	+ 1.2
1974	3,889	10,474	14,363	+ 1.5
	REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN BASIS WEIGHT (3)			
1974	3,722	10,038	13,760	-
1975	3,948	10,165	14,113	+ 2.6
1975	3,948	Revised 9,892(4)	13,840	-
1976	4,014	9,921	13,935	+ 0.7
1977	4,069	9,902	13,971	+ 0.3
1978	4,104	9,861	13,965	- 0.0
1979	4,109	10,031	14,140	+ 1.3
1980	4,545	10,141	14,686	+ 3.9
1981	5,119	10,472	15,591	+ 6.2
1982	5,433	11,014E	16,447	+ 5.5
1983	5,451	11,014E	16,465	+ 0.1

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979

(2) Source: CPPA E - Estimated

NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the basis weight of newsprint from 32 pounds, for 500 sheets measuring 24" x 36", to 30 pounds. A given area of printing surface of 30 pound paper weighs less than the same area of 32 pound paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

Company	Mill	Date (Month)	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1979					
Bowater	Calhoun, Tenn	Oct. '79	140,000	-	140,000
North Pacific	Longview, Wash.	July '79	210,000	-	210,000
Southeast	Dublin, Ga.	June '79	156,000	-	156,000
Georgia-Pacific	Woodland, Me.	3rd qtr. '79	(-90,000)	50,000(5)	(-40,000)
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, Va.	1st qtr. '80	175,000	-	175,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, La.	Mid. '80	180,000	-	180,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, Ca.	Mid. '81	37,800	-	37,800
North Pacific	Longview, Wa.	2nd qtr. '81	210,000	-	210,000
Publishers	Newberg, Ore.	Early '81	210,000	-	210,000
St. Regis	Houston, Tx.	Mid. '81	143,000*	-	143,000
Canadian Mills					
1979					
Consolidated - Bathurst	Port Alfred, Quebec & other mills	Late '79	55,000	-	55,000
	Unidentified		115,000	-	115,000
1980					
Kruger**	Bromptonville, Que.	1980	80,000	-	80,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, B.C.	Late '80	55,000	-	55,000
1981					
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River British Columbia	Mid. '81	209,000	-	209,000
Abitibi Price	Stephenville, Newfoundland	Mid. '81	150,000	-	150,000
1982					
British Columbia	Crofton, B.C.	Early '82	187,000	-	187,000
Crown	Elk Falls, B.C.	Jan. '82	198,000	-	198,000
Donohue Normick	Amos, Quebec	Mid. '82	165,000	-	165,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements.

** Net increase - speed up of machine at Bromptonville, less transfer of machine at Three Rivers to coated papers.

(5) Uncoated Free Sheet

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NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT **

REPORT FOR JANUARY 1980

Shipments of newsprint from North American mills, on a seasonally adjusted basis, moved sharply upward in December and January.

U.S. Consumption has turned slightly downward, and in January was at about the same level as January 1979.

Publisher inventories (ANPA 525 sample) have started to grow. They were 54,000 higher on 1/31/80 than at the end of last November.

(Thousands of Metric Tons)	JANUARY 1979	JANUARY 1980	JANUARY % Change	1 MOS. YEAR TO DATE 1979	1 MOS. YEAR TO DATE 1980	1 MOS. YEAR TO DATE % Change	Details On Page No. *
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS							
NORTH AMERICA							
Production	1,039	1,118	+ 7.5	1,039	1,118	+ 7.5	2
% of Capacity	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3	6
Shipments	996	1,062	+ 6.6	996	1,062	+ 6.6	2
UNITED STATES							
Production	286	341	+19.1	286	341	+19.1	3
% of Capacity	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	6
Shipments	286	335	+16.9	286	335	+16.9	3
CANADA							
Production	753	777	+ 3.1	753	777	+ 3.1	4
% of Capacity	96	100	+ 4.2	96	100	+ 4.2	6
Shipments	710	727	+ 2.5	710	727	+ 2.5	4
U.S. Consumption							
(525) ANPA Newspapers	503	511	+ 1.6	503	511	+ 1.6	5
Estimated Total	777	787P	+ 1.3	777	787P	+ 1.3	
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	640	610P	- 4.6				6
North American Mills – Stocks	248	234	- 5.8				2

* Additional information proceeds as follows: Graph – 1; Shipments by Destination – 7 & 8; Historical Data – 9; Circulations – 9; Forecasts of U.S. Economy – 10; Capacity Information – 11.

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

Abitibi Southern Corporation

Boise Cascade Corporation
Boise Southern Company
Bowater Incorporated

Crown Zellerbach Corporation
Field Enterprises, Inc.
Garden State Paper Company
Great Northern Paper Company
Inland Empire Paper Company
International Paper Company

North Pacific Paper Company
Publishers Paper Company
Southland Paper Division
of St.Regis Paper Co.
Southeast Paper Mfg. Company
Southwest Forest Industries

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.
** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing
P- Preliminary

In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., and the U.S. Bureau of Census.

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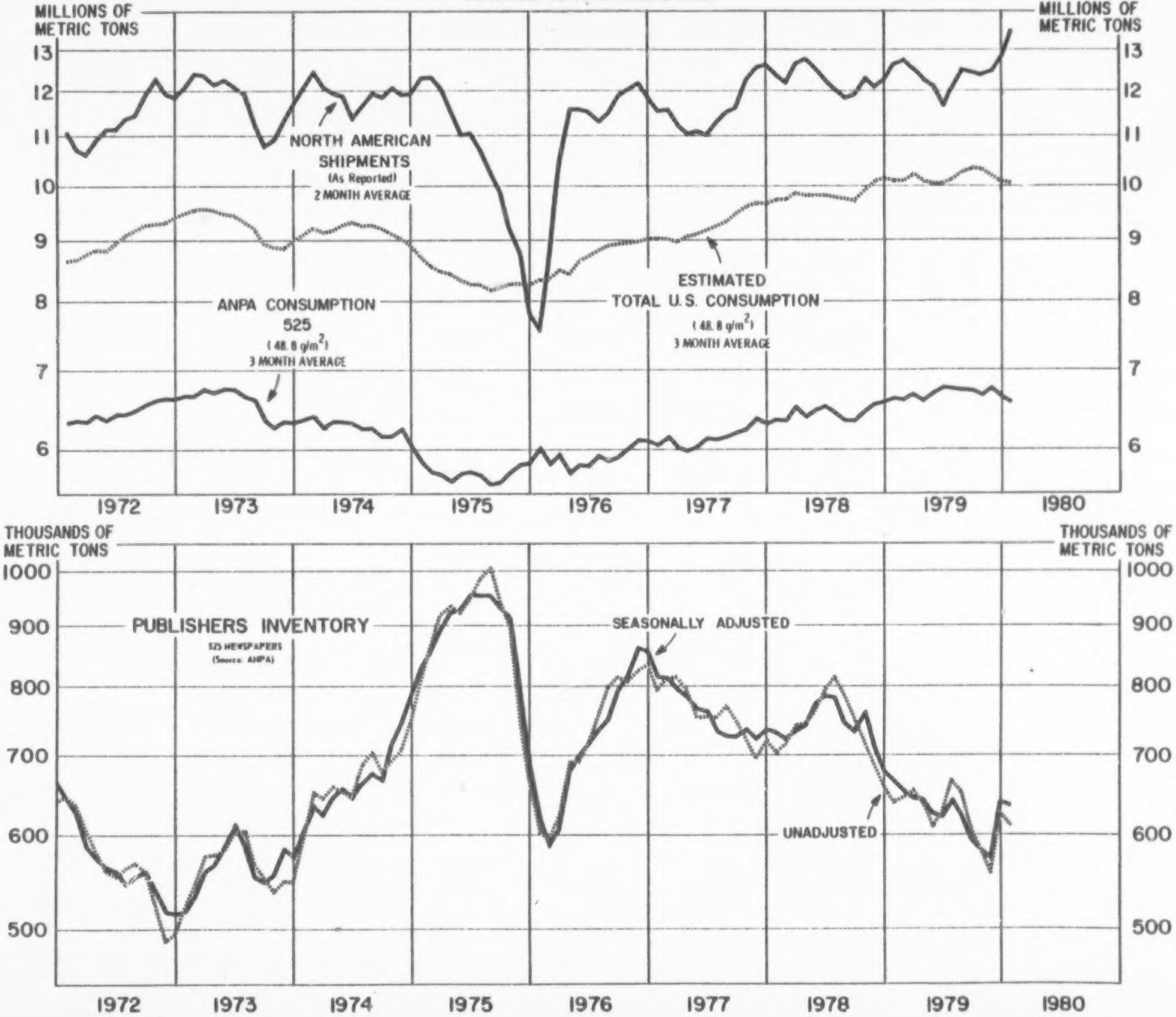
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE



NEWSPRINT DIVISION, AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

NORTH AMERICA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,024.1	1,039.5	1,117.7	+ 7.5	934.3	995.7	1,061.6	+ 6.6	376.5	248.5	234.1	- 5.8
FEBRUARY	974.8	964.3			904.6	940.2			446.7	272.6		
MARCH	1,065.2	1,066.0			1,164.3	1,080.9			347.7	257.8		
APRIL	1,055.9	1,015.1			1,019.6	1,013.1			384.0	259.9		
MAY	1,067.0	1,030.3			1,118.2	1,055.5			332.8	234.6		
JUNE	1,036.2	1,025.5			1,081.0	1,037.8			288.0	222.4		
JULY	985.8	1,021.4			978.0	1,023.5			295.9	220.4		
AUGUST	993.2	1,059.7			988.7	1,069.9			300.4	210.2		
SEPTEMBER	977.4	1,001.8			985.7	974.5			292.1	237.5		
OCTOBER	1,072.0	1,099.4			1,089.3	1,116.0			274.9	220.9		
NOVEMBER	1,000.7	1,078.5			1,009.9	1,071.8			265.6	227.6		
DECEMBER	977.0	1,039.6			1,038.0	1,089.2			204.4	178.0		
MONTHS												
TOTAL YEAR	12,229.3	12,441.1			12,311.6	12,468.1						

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	763.2	802.5	850.6	+ 6.0	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	103.3	116.6	130.4	+ 11.8
FEBRUARY	734.9	783.6			73.9	72.3			95.8	84.3		
MARCH	904.6	871.3			86.9	77.0			172.8	132.6		
APRIL	829.6	798.8			73.2	83.3			116.8	131.0		
MAY	894.5	824.1			79.9	88.3			143.8	143.1		
JUNE	848.5	828.2			76.3	84.6			156.2	125.0		
JULY	755.6	822.0			69.9	70.0			152.5	131.5		
AUGUST	794.0	852.3			64.8	80.0			129.9	137.6		
SEPTEMBER	774.9	774.6			72.4	79.4			138.4	120.5		
OCTOBER	867.2	885.0			86.3	89.0			135.8	142.0		
NOVEMBER	778.6	862.9			80.9	86.5			150.4	122.4		
DECEMBER	816.0	868.6			76.1	83.8			145.9	136.8		
MONTHS												
TOTAL YEAR	9,761.6	9,973.9			908.4	970.8			1,641.6	1,523.4		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	288.6	286.1	340.7	+ 19.1	280.7	286.0	334.4	+ 16.9	38.7	20.1	22.6	+ 12.4
FEBRUARY	278.9	279.7			280.6	278.1			37.0	21.7		
MARCH	316.1	315.5			322.9	317.6			30.2	19.6		
APRIL	299.2	289.2			295.2	291.3			34.2	17.5		
MAY	302.4	307.3			306.1	305.3			30.6	19.5		
JUNE	303.8	305.8			307.1	304.0			27.3	21.3		
JULY	225.4	301.0			222.7	303.6			30.1	18.8		
AUGUST	246.4	323.4			251.3	321.9			25.1	20.3		
SEPTEMBER	289.2	305.9			287.0	305.1			27.2	21.1		
OCTOBER	296.4	334.0			301.5	333.5			22.2	21.6		
NOVEMBER	290.9	329.7			291.7	327.5			21.3	23.8		
DECEMBER	280.5	307.2			281.8	314.7			20.0	16.3		
MONTHS												
TOTAL YEAR	3,417.8	3,684.8			3,428.6	3,688.6						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	277.2	275.9	323.5	+ 17.3	3.5	10,1	10.9	+ 7.9	0	7.0		
FEBRUARY	271.2	275.2			9.4	2.9			0	12.1		
MARCH	312.7	308.2			10.2	9.4			0	2.3		
APRIL	288.0	286.1			7.2	5.2			0	9.4		
MAY	297.6	300.7			8.5	4.6			0	18.5		
JUNE	294.0	297.3			13.1	6.7			0	17.4		
JULY	219.2	299.3			3.5	4.3			0	16.6		
AUGUST	248.9	313.8			2.4	8.1			0	7.0		
SEPTEMBER	276.2	298.4			10.8	6.7			0	1.8		
OCTOBER	290.8	323.8			10.7	9.7			0	12.5		
NOVEMBER	283.6	318.1			8.1	9.4			0	15.7		
DECEMBER	273.7	305.4			8.1	9.3			0	11.6		
MONTHS												
TOTAL YEAR	3,333.1	3,602.2			95.5	86.4			0	131.9		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

CANADA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	735.5	753.4	777.0	+ 3.1	653.6	709.7	727.2	+ 2.5	337.8	228.4	211.5	- 7.4
FEBRUARY	695.9	684.6			624.0	662.1			409.7	250.9		
MARCH	749.1	750.5			841.4	763.3			317.5	238.2		
APRIL	756.7	725.9			724.4	721.8			349.8	242.4		
MAY	764.6	723.0			812.1	750.2			302.2	215.1		
JUNE	732.4	719.7			773.9	733.8			260.7	201.1		
JULY	760.4	720.4			755.3	719.9			265.8	201.6		
AUGUST	746.8	736.3			737.4	748.0			275.3	189.9		
SEPTEMBER	688.2	695.9			698.7	669.4			264.9	216.4		
OCTOBER	775.6	765.4			787.8	782.5			252.7	199.3		
NOVEMBER	709.8	748.8			718.2	744.3			244.3	203.8		
DECEMBER	696.5	732.4			756.2	774.5			184.4	161.7		
MONTHS												
TOTAL YEAR	8,811.5	8,756.3			8,883.0	8,779.5						

DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	486.0	526.6	527.1	+ 0.1	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	99.8	106.5	119.5	+ 12.2
FEBRUARY	463.7	508.4			73.9	72.3			86.4	81.4		
MARCH	591.9	563.1			86.9	77.0			162.6	123.2		
APRIL	541.6	512.7			73.2	83.3			109.6	125.8		
MAY	596.9	523.4			79.9	88.3			135.3	138.5		
JUNE	554.5	530.9			76.3	84.6			143.1	118.3		
JULY	536.4	522.7			69.9	70.0			149.0	127.2		
AUGUST	545.1	538.5			64.8	80.0			127.5	129.5		
SEPTEMBER	498.7	476.2			72.4	79.4			127.6	113.8		
OCTOBER	576.4	561.2			86.3	89.0			125.1	132.3		
NOVEMBER	495.0	544.8			80.9	86.5			142.3	113.0		
DECEMBER	542.3	563.2			76.1	83.8			137.8	127.5		
MONTHS												
TOTAL YEAR	6,428.5	6,371.7			908.4	970.8			1,546.1	1,437.0		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION										
	ANPA (525) Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump.*		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	497.1	503.2	511.4	+ 1.6	760.0	777.0	787.0P	+ 1.3	65.4	64.8	65.0
FEBRUARY	472.7	496.6			725.0	769.0			65.2	64.6	
MARCH	543.9	570.3			824.0	875.0			66.0	65.2	
APRIL	562.3	574.7			865.0	885.0			65.0	64.9	
MAY	572.1	586.9			868.0	886.0			65.9	66.2	
JUNE	531.5	545.1			797.0	814.0			66.7	67.0	
JULY	508.4	518.8			769.0	786.0			66.1	66.0	
AUGUST	505.9	540.0			779.0	827.0			64.9	65.3	
SEPTEMBER	513.6	559.5			789.0	862.0			65.1	64.9	
OCTOBER	565.7	597.5			869.0	924.0			65.1	64.7	
NOVEMBER	595.9	600.5			923.0	908.0			64.6	66.1	
DECEMBER	577.3	580.1			896.0	889.0P			64.4	65.3	
MONTHS											
TOTAL YEAR	6,446.4	6,673.2			9,864.0	10,202.0					

P - Preliminary.

* - 5 month moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted-Annual Basis			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,344	6,616	6,584P	- 0.5	9,700	10,210	10,130P	- 0.8	12,205	12,820	13,817	+ 7.8
FEBRUARY	6,324	6,596			9,700	10,210			12,283	12,792		
MARCH	6,448	6,683			9,770	10,250			13,184	12,294		
APRIL	6,389	6,594			9,830	10,160			12,537	12,280		
MAY	6,511	6,680			9,880	10,090			12,535	11,950		
JUNE	6,603	6,760			9,900	10,090			12,011	11,563		
JULY	6,511	6,732			9,850	10,200			12,117	12,636		
AUGUST	6,380	6,719			9,830	10,290			11,661	12,526		
SEPTEMBER	6,334	6,717			9,730	10,350			12,336	12,506		
OCTOBER	6,458	6,664			9,920	10,300			12,403	12,457		
NOVEMBER	6,518	6,775			10,090	10,250			12,003	12,647		
DECEMBER	6,582	6,634			10,220	10,160P			12,651	13,256		
MONTHS AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE												

P - Preliminary.

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY - CONSUMERS' STOCKS ON HAND & IN TRANSIT*					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Pub.by ANPA (525)			U.S. Estimated Total		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	702.4	639.7	610.1P	- 4.6	730.9	667.0	636.8P	- 4.5	41	36	35P	41	36	35P
FEBRUARY	711.6	646.4			721.7	657.6			40	35		40	36	
MARCH	742.5	650.5			735.6	646.6			40	34		41	35	
APRIL	742.2	642.5			741.4	643.8			41	34		41	33	
MAY	757.1	609.1			775.6	624.7			44	34		44	34	
JUNE	795.0	625.2			789.2	620.2			49	37		48	37	
JULY	815.1	668.1			786.3	644.9			49	38		47	37	
AUGUST	787.1	654.4			747.2	621.5			45	35		45	35	
SEPTEMBER	751.7	611.6			730.6	593.2			40	32		42	31	
OCTOBER	762.4	584.1			762.8	583.5			39	29		39	30	
NOVEMBER	690.1	556.5			711.5	572.5			38	30		37	31P	
DECEMBER	660.0	627.6			674.7	640.4			40	38		38	34P	

P - Preliminary.

*The calculation of U.S. Consumers' days supply is based on consumption in subsequent months. For the most recent months a projected rate of consumption is used. Days supply for the ANPA group has been revised and is now based on consumption in the subsequent month.

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

	OPERATING RATES											
	United States				Canada				North America			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	96.0	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	96	96	100	+ 4.2	96.0	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3
FEBRUARY	97.9	92.7			99	97			98.7	95.7		
MARCH	97.2	96.5			100	98			99.2	97.6		
APRIL	97.2	96.2			100	95			99.2	95.3		
MAY	96.9	98.0			101	94			99.8	95.2		
JUNE	97.0	96.1			99	96			98.4	96.0		
JULY	85.0	91.3			98	92			94.7	91.8		
AUGUST	76.9	97.1			99	96			92.4	96.3		
SEPTEMBER	87.2	94.5			97	96			93.9	95.5		
OCTOBER	91.0	97.1			100	97			97.3	97.0		
NOVEMBER	93.2	96.4			97	100			95.9	98.9		
DECEMBER	85.0	89.1			97	101			93.2	97.2		
MONTHS												
TOTAL YEAR	92.1	97.6			98	97			96.6	96.6		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	429	253	176	495	269	658	95	625	3,000
1972	453	281	182	548	283	696	117	659	3,219
1973	432	279	172	575	321	748	161	630	3,318
1974*	425	230	160	562	315	730	158	670	3,250
1974	411	221	154	543	304	705	152	646	3,136
1975	463	254	193	551	299	701	142	632	3,235
1976	479	234	185	589	300	735	136	637	3,295
1977	502	216	187	582	303	743	151	706	3,390
1978	445	201	176	533	303	836	162	677	3,333
1979	467	206	194	611	307	859	182	776	3,602
Canada									
1971	1,969	1,660	358	589	103	24	187	686	5,576
1972	2,079	1,694	408	669	117	37	176	653	5,833
1973	2,122	1,746	434	789	128	55	196	749	6,219
1974*	2,237	1,920	456	807	159	73	192	723	6,567
1974	2,147	1,842	438	775	152	71	185	694	6,304
1975	1,711	1,480	315	570	93	62	145	603	4,979
1976	1,779	1,659	417	727	129	78	181	700	5,670
1977	1,873	1,607	387	739	111	74	204	756	5,751
1978	1,940	1,807	465	846	123	63	220	964	6,428
1979(1)									
North America									
1971	2,398	1,913	534	1,084	372	682	282	1,311	8,576
1972	2,532	1,975	590	1,217	400	733	293	1,312	9,052
1973	2,554	2,025	606	1,364	449	803	357	1,379	9,537
1974*	2,662	2,150	616	1,369	474	803	350	1,393	9,817
1974	2,558	2,063	592	1,318	456	776	337	1,340	9,440
1975	2,174	1,734	508	1,121	392	763	287	1,235	8,214
1976	2,258	1,893	602	1,316	429	813	317	1,337	8,965
1977	2,375	1,823	574	1,321	414	817	355	1,462	9,141
1978	2,385	2,008	641	1,379	426	899	382	1,641	9,761
1979(1)									

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association.

(1) - The 1979 revised shipments by destination for Canada and North America will appear in a later issue.

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA(1)			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA(1)		
		1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	120.9	121.6	+ 0.6	481.1			602.0		
	2 Q	120.7	117.9	- 2.3	487.1			607.8		
	3 Q	76.7	109.1	+ 42.2	485.2			561.9		
	4 Q	127.1	118.6	- 6.7	485.7			612.8		
	Year	445.4	467.2	+ 4.9	1,939.1			2,384.5		
East North Central	1 Q	53.4	52.9	- 0.9	423.9			477.3		
	2 Q	49.1	52.0	+ 5.9	463.8			512.9		
	3 Q	49.9	48.2	- 3.4	436.8			486.7		
	4 Q	48.0	53.0	+ 10.4	482.9			530.9		
	Year	200.4	206.1	+ 2.8	1,807.4			2,007.8		
West North Central	1 Q	44.8	49.3	+ 10.0	122.6			167.4		
	2 Q	43.1	47.3	+ 9.7	117.5			160.6		
	3 Q	43.4	50.2	+ 15.7	116.9			160.3		
	4 Q	44.8	47.5	+ 6.0	108.6			153.4		
	Year	176.1	194.3	+ 10.3	465.6			641.7		
South Atlantic	1 Q	133.7	131.5	- 1.6	207.0			340.7		
	2 Q	144.2	142.3	- 1.3	230.5			374.7		
	3 Q	125.8	166.2	+ 32.1	187.3			313.1		
	4 Q	128.4	171.1	+ 33.3	221.9			350.3		
	Year	532.1	611.1	+ 14.8	846.7			1,378.8		
East South Central	1 Q	76.8	71.0	- 7.6	36.9			113.7		
	2 Q	74.7	76.7	+ 2.7	37.8			112.5		
	3 Q	73.8	74.2	+ 0.5	23.9			97.7		
	4 Q	78.0	85.2	+ 9.2	24.4			102.4		
	Year	303.3	307.1	+ 1.3	123.0			426.3		
West South Central	1 Q	205.8	206.3	+ 0.2	18.2			224.0		
	2 Q	218.2	220.1	+ 0.9	10.7			228.9		
	3 Q	199.7	218.5	+ 9.4	17.5			217.2		
	4 Q	213.0	214.5	+ 0.7	15.8			228.8		
	Year	836.7	859.4	+ 2.7	62.2			898.9		
Mountain	1 Q	42.0	48.0	+ 14.3	46.3			88.3		
	2 Q	44.6	44.3	- 0.7	61.7			106.3		
	3 Q	35.3	41.5	+ 17.6	56.2			91.5		
	4 Q	40.8	47.8	+ 17.2	55.8			96.6		
	Year	162.7	181.6	+ 11.6	220.0			382.7		
Pacific	1 Q	183.7	178.7	- 2.7	205.6			389.3		
	2 Q	185.0	183.5	- 0.8	283.9			468.9		
	3 Q	139.7	203.6	+ 45.7	256.4			396.1		
	4 Q	168.0	209.6	+ 24.8	218.6			386.6		
	Year	676.4	775.4	+ 14.6	964.5			1,640.9		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	861.1	859.3	- 0.2	1,541.6			2,402.7		
	2 Q	879.6	884.1	+ 0.5	1,693.0			2,572.6		
	3 Q	744.3	911.5	+ 22.5	1,580.2			2,324.5		
	4 Q	848.1	947.3	+ 11.7	1,613.7			2,461.8		
	Year	3,333.1	3,602.2	+ 8.1	6,428.5			9,761.6		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

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NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of metric tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS				INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS	(525) NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF YEAR
		TOTAL	TO UNITED STATES	TO CANADA	TO OTHER MARKETS			
United States								
1968	2,762	2,772	2,671	-	101	24	258	575
1969	3,050	3,051	2,945	-	106	24	266	634
1970	3,142	3,136	3,008	-	128	30	286	680
1971	3,153	3,146	3,000	-	146	37	288	639
1972	3,317	3,330	3,219	-	111	24	298	493
1973	3,391	3,395	3,318	-	77	21	346	547
1974*	3,348	3,347	3,250	-	97	23	-	780
1974	3,230	3,230	3,136	-	94	23	193	750
1975	3,348	3,347	3,235	-	112	19	30	666
1976	3,389	3,381	3,295	-	86	26	52	835
1977	3,512	3,507	3,390	-	117	31	0	722
1978	3,418	3,429	3,333	-	96	20	0	660
1979	3,685	3,689	3,602	-	87	16	132	628
Canada								
1968	7,286	7,345	5,540	612	1,193	184	-	
1969	7,945	7,930	5,822	643	1,465	200	-	
1970	7,808	7,795	5,575	650	1,570	214	-	
1971	7,670	7,586	5,576	654	1,356	301	-	
1972	8,001	8,075	5,833	709	1,533	228	-	
1973	8,292	8,345	6,219	779	1,347	175	-	
1974*	9,023	9,070	6,567	837	1,666	132	-	
1974	8,662	8,706	6,304	804	1,598	130	-	
1975	6,966	7,010	4,979	784	1,247	86	-	
1976	8,088	7,902	5,670	803	1,429	271	-	
1977	8,154	8,169	5,751	824	1,594	256	-	
1978	8,811	8,883	6,428	909	1,546	184	-	
1979	8,756	8,780	6,372	971	1,437	162	-	
North America								
1968	10,048	10,117	8,211	612	1,294	208	258	
1969	10,995	10,981	8,767	643	1,571	224	266	
1970	10,950	10,931	8,583	650	1,698	244	286	
1971	10,823	10,732	8,576	654	1,502	338	288	
1972	11,318	11,405	9,052	709	1,644	252	298	
1973	11,683	11,740	9,537	779	1,424	196	346	
1974*	12,371	12,417	9,817	837	1,763	155	-	
1974	11,892	11,936	9,440	804	1,692	153	193	
1975	10,314	10,357	8,214	784	1,359	105	30	
1976	11,477	11,283	8,965	803	1,515	297	52	
1977	11,666	11,676	9,141	824	1,711	287	0	
1978	12,229	12,312	9,761	909	1,642	204	0	
1979	12,441	12,469	9,974	971	1,524	178	132	

*Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION			TONNAGE LOSS DUE TO NEWSPAPER STRIKES
YEAR	AS REPORTED	48.8 G/M[2]	
1968	8,461	7,932	168
1969	8,940	8,381	52
1970	[illegible]	8,271	72
1971	8,923	8,390	94
1972	9,568	9,016	6
1973	9,792	9,249	15
1974	9,330	9,164	25
1975	8,395	8,321	6
1976	8,719	8,688	0
1977	9,279	9,279	5
1978	9,864	9,868	130
1979	10,202	10,195	

UNITED STATES
NEWSPAPER

CIRCULATION PER HOUSEHOLD

YEAR	U.S. HOUSEHOLDS (000's)	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS)		CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD	
		DAILY	SUNDAY	DAILY	SUNDAY
1960	52,799	58.9	47.7	1.12	0.90
1961	53,557	59.3	48.2	1.11	0.90
1962	54,764	59.9	48.9	1.09	0.89
1963	55,270	58.9	46.8	1.07	0.85
1964	56,149	60.4	48.4	1.08	0.86
1965	57,436	60.4	48.6	1.05	0.85
1966	58,406	61.4	49.3	1.05	0.84
1967	59,236	61.6	49.2	1.04	0.83
1968	60,813	62.0	49.5	1.02	0.81
1969	62,214	62.0	49.7	1.00	0.80
1970	63,401	62.1	49.2	0.98	0.78
1971	64,778	62.2	49.7	0.96	0.77
1972	66,676	62.5	50.0	0.94	0.75
1973	68,251	63.1	51.7	0.92	0.76
1974	69,859	61.9	51.7	0.89	0.74
1975	71,120	60.7	51.1	0.85	0.72
1976	72,867	61.0	51.6	0.84	0.71
1977	74,142	61.5	52.4	0.83	0.71
1978	76,030	62.0P	54.0P	0.82	0.71
1979	78,157P				

P - Preliminary.
Source: Department of Commerce and Editor and Publisher.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1980				1981				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1980	1981
Merrill Lynch Economics - February, 1980 Based on Pre. 4th qtr. data (1,438.4) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,430.0 -2.3	1,410.7 - 5.3	1,400.8 -2.8	1,408.9 +2.3	1,424.2 +4.4	1,438.1 +4.0	1,456.7 +5.3	1,473.5 +4.7	1,412.6 -1.3	1,448.1 +2.5
The Conference Board - February, 1980 Based on Rev. 4th qtr. data (1,440.7) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,442.0 +1.0	1,448.4 + 1.8	1,464.4 +4.5	1,476.0 +3.2	1,487.1 +3.0	1,498.3 +3.0	1,505.6 +2.0	1,513.1 +2.0	1,457.7 +1.9	1,501.0 +3.0
Chase Econometric - February, 1980 Based on Rev. 4th qtr. data (1,440.7) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,424.9 -3.7	1,409.8 - 4.2	1,405.2 -1.3	1,416.0 +3.1	1,428.3 +3.5	1,439.8 +3.3	1,450.8 +3.1	1,463.2 +3.5	1,414.0 -1.2	1,445.5 +2.2
MacKay - Shields Economics - November, 1979 Based on Rev. 3rd qtr. data (1,434.4) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,408.0 -4.3	1,399.0 - 5.4	1,392.0 -0.8	1,412.0 +5.9	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	1,400.0 -1.9	N.A.

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2
Annual GNP for - 1979 - 1,431.7

N.A. - Not Available

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - February, 1980 Based on 4th qtr. data (152.1) % Change from next preceding quarter**	151.9 -0.4	147.2 -11.9	144.3 -7.5	144.6 +0.6	147.5 +8.2	150.2 +7.7	153.8 +9.8	156.3 +6.7	147.0 -3.4	151.9 +3.4

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES- BY MEDIA- PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T V	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.9	5.6	3.4	14.9	1.2	55.0	18.1	6.9	20.0
1975	29.9	5.2	3.3	14.8	1.2	54.4	18.6	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.3	1.1	53.2	19.9	6.9	20.0
1977	29.2	5.7	3.2	14.0	1.1	53.2	20.0	6.8	20.0
1978	29.0	5.9	3.2	13.8	1.1	53.0	20.2	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			Tons	% Change
1966	2,309	8,054	10,363	-
1967	2,580	8,431	11,011	+ 6.3
1968	2,881	8,759	11,640	+ 5.7
1969	3,061	8,777	11,838	+ 1.7
1970	3,205	8,931	12,136	+ 2.5
1971	3,304	9,290	12,594	+ 3.8
1972	3,351	9,344	12,695	+ 0.8
1973	3,465	9,378	12,843	+ 1.2
1974	3,528	9,502	13,030	+ 1.5
REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN G/M^2 (3)				
1974	3,377	9,106	12,483	-
1975	3,582	Revised 9,222 (4)	12,804	+ 2.6
1975	3,582	8,974	12,556	-
1976	3,641	9,000	12,641	+ 0.7
1977	3,691	8,983	12,674	+ 0.3
1978	3,710	8,946	12,656	- 0.1
1979	3,776	9,100	12,876	+ 1.7
1980	4,140	9,200	13,340	+ 3.6
1981	4,661	9,500	14,161	+ 6.2
1982	4,946	9,992E	14,938	+ 5.5
1983	4,962	10,082E	15,044	+ 0.7

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979.

(2) Source: CPPA. E - Estimated.
NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the grams per square meter (g/m^2) of newsprint from 52 to 48.8. A given area of printing surface of 48.8 g/m^2 paper weighs less than the same area of 52 g/m^2 paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

(In metric tons)

Company	Mill	Date	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1979					
Bowater	Calhoun, TN	Oct. '79	127,000	-	127,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	July '79	190,000	-	190,000
Southeast	Dublin, GA	June '79	142,000	-	142,000
Georgia-Pacific	Woodland, ME	3rd qtr. '79	(-82,000)	45,000(5)	(-37,000)
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, VA	1st qtr. '80	159,000	-	159,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, LA	Mid '80	163,000	-	163,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, CA	Mid '81	34,000	-	34,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	2nd qtr. '81	190,000	-	190,000
Publishers	Newberg, OR	Early '81	190,000	-	190,000
St. Regis	Houston, TX	Mid '81	130,000*	-	130,000*
Canadian Mills					
1979					
Consolidated - Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE & other mills	Late '79	50,000	-	50,000
1980					
Kruger**	Bromptonville, QUE	1980	70,000	-	70,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, BC	Late '80	50,000	-	50,000
1981					
Abitibi Price	Stephenville, NFLD	Mid '81	135,000	-	135,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	Mid '81	190,000	-	190,000
1982					
British Columbia	Crofton, BC	Early '82	170,000	-	170,000
Crown	Elk Falls, BC	Jan. '82	180,000	-	180,000
Donohue Normick	Amos, QUE	Mid '82	150,000	-	150,000

*Machine transfer from other grades and improvements.

**Net increase - speed up of machine at Bromptonville, less transfer of machine at Three Rivers to coated papers.

(5)Uncoated Free Sheet.

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ENTIRE REPORT IS SET
FORTH IN METRIC TONS

NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT **

REPORT FOR FEBRUARY 1980

Shipments of newsprint from North American mills, on a seasonally adjusted basis, continued their upward movement in February.

U.S. consumption (seasonally adjusted) continued at a relatively flat trend.

Publisher inventories (ANPA 525 sample) have continued to grow and were about 100,000 tonnes higher on 2/29/80 than the low point of 11/30/79.

(Thousands of Metric Tons)	FEBRUARY			2 MOS. YEAR TO DATE			Details On Page No. *
	1979	1980	% Change	1979	1980	% Change	
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS							
NORTH AMERICA							
Production	964	1,071	+ 11.1	2,004	2,189	+ 9.2	2
% of Capacity	95.7	99.1	+ 3.6	95.5	98.7	+ 3.4	6
Shipments	940	1,077	+ 14.6	1,936	2,139	+ 10.5	2
UNITED STATES							
Production	280	334	+ 19.2	566	674	+ 19.2	3
% of Capacity	92.7	97.1	+ 4.7	93.1	96.0	+ 3.1	6
Shipments	278	333	+ 19.8	564	668	+ 18.4	3
CANADA							
Production	684	737	+ 7.8	1,438	1,515	+ 5.3	4
% of Capacity	97	100	+ 3.1	97	100	+ 3.1	6
Shipments	662	744	+ 12.4	1,372	1,471	+ 7.3	4
U.S. Consumption							
(525) ANPA Newspapers	497	522 P	+ 5.1	1,000	1,038	+ 3.8	5
Estimated Total	769	791 P	+ 2.9	1,546	1,580 P	+ 2.2	
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	646	666 P	+ 3.0				6
North American Mills -- Stocks	273	228	- [illegible] 4				2

* Additional information proceeds as follows: Graph – 1; Shipments by Destination – 7 & 8; Historical Data – 9; Circulations – 9; Forecasts of U.S. Economy – 10; Capacity Information – 11.

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

- Abitibi Southern Corporation
- Bear Island Paper Company
- Boise Cascade Corporation
- Boise Southern Company
- Bowater Incorporated
- Crown Zellerbach Corporation
- Field Enterprises, Inc.
- Garden State Paper Company
- Great Northern Paper Company
- Inland Empire Paper Company
- International Paper Company
- North Pacific Paper Company
- Publishers Paper Company
- Southland Paper Division of St.Regis Paper Co.
- Southeast Paper Mfg. Company
- Southwest Forest Industries

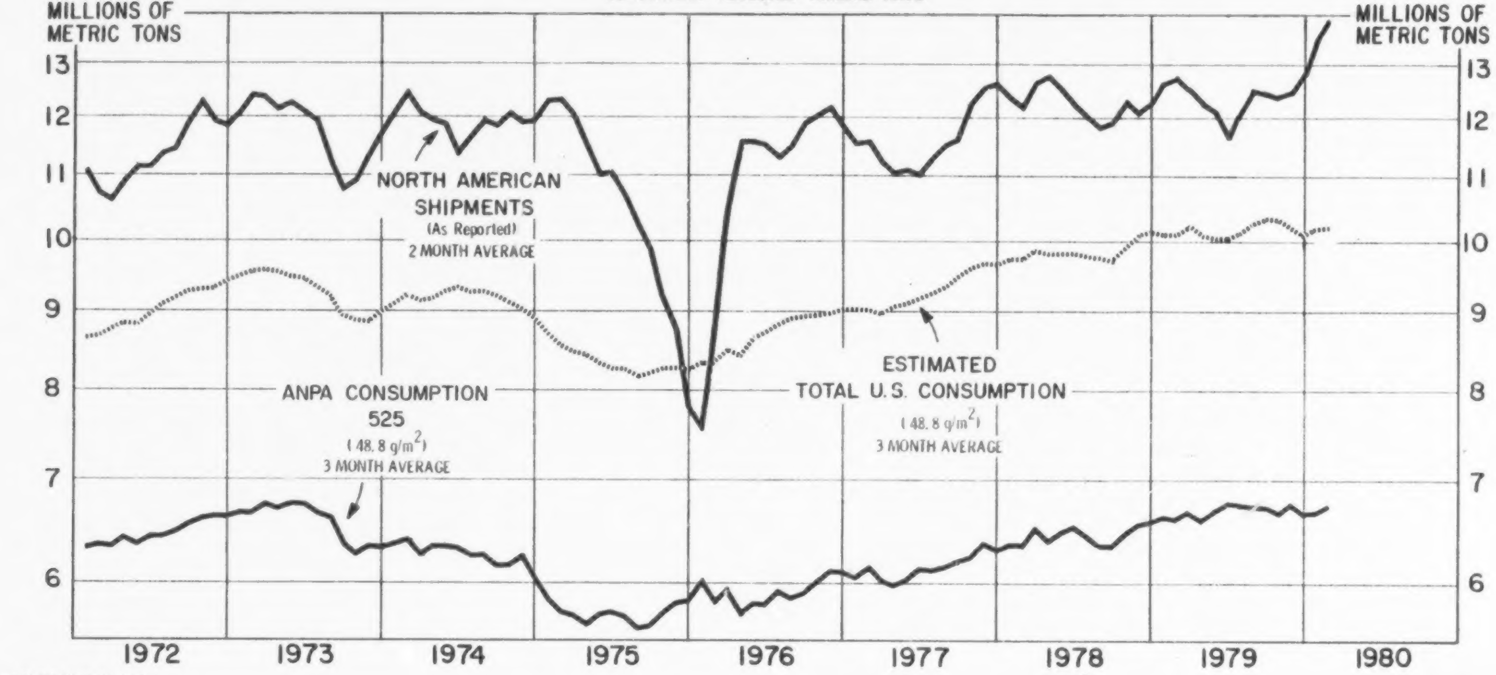
Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.
** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing
P- Preliminary

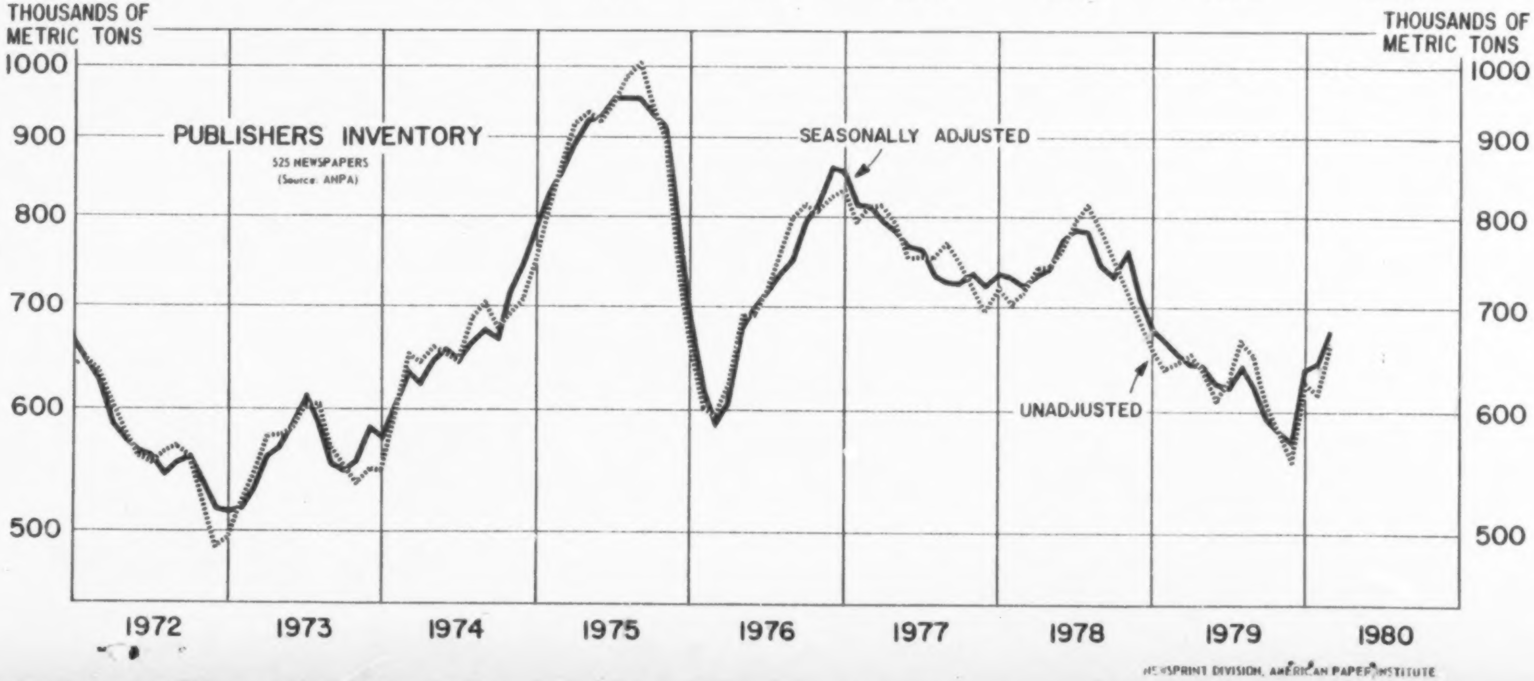
In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., and the U.S. Bureau of Census.

ISSUED 3/27/80

TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE





NEWSPRINT DIVISION, AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

NORTH AMERICA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,024.1	1,039.5	1,117.7	+ 7.5	934.3	995.7	1,061.6	+ 6.6	376.5	248.5	234.1	- 5.8
FEBRUARY	974.8	964.3	1,071.4	+ 11.1	904.6	940.2	1,077.5	+ 14.6	446.7	272.6	228.0	- 16.4
MARCH	1,065.2	1,066.0			1,164.3	1,080.9			347.7	257.8		
APRIL	1,055.9	1,015.1			1,019.6	1,013.1			384.0	259.9		
MAY	1,067.0	1,030.3			1,118.2	1,055.5			332.8	234.6		
JUNE	1,036.2	1,025.5			1,081.0	1,037.8			288.0	222.4		
JULY	985.8	1,021.4			978.0	1,023.5			295.9	220.4		
AUGUST	993.2	1,059.7			988.7	1,069.9			300.4	210.2		
SEPTEMBER	977.4	1,001.8			985.7	974.5			292.1	237.5		
OCTOBER	1,072.0	1,099.4			1,089.3	1,116.0			274.9	220.9		
NOVEMBER	1,000.7	1,078.5			1,009.9	1,071.8			265.6	227.6		
DECEMBER	977.0	1,039.6			1,038.0	1,089.2			204.4	178.0		
2 MONTHS	1,998.9	2,003.8	2,189.1	+ 9.2	1,838.9	1,935.9	2,139.1	+ 10.5				
TOTAL YEAR	12,229.3	12,441.1			12,311.6	12,468.1						

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	763.2	802.5	850.6	+ 6.0	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	103.3	116.6	130.4	+ 11.8
FEBRUARY	734.9	783.6	858.8	+ 9.6	73.9	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	95.8	84.3	138.8	+ 64.7
MARCH	904.6	871.3			86.9	77.0			172.8	132.6		
APRIL	829.6	798.8			73.2	83.3			116.8	131.0		
MAY	894.5	824.1			79.9	88.3			143.8	143.1		
JUNE	848.5	828.2			76.3	84.6			156.2	125.0		
JULY	755.6	822.0			69.9	70.0			152.5	131.5		
AUGUST	794.0	852.3			64.8	80.0			129.9	137.6		
SEPTEMBER	774.9	774.6			72.4	79.4			138.4	120.5		
OCTOBER	867.2	885.0			86.3	89.0			135.8	142.0		
NOVEMBER	778.6	862.9			80.9	86.5			150.4	122.4		
DECEMBER	816.0	868.6			76.1	83.8			145.9	136.8		
2 MONTHS	1,498.1	1,586.1	1,709.4	+ 7.8	141.7	148.9	160.5	+ 7.8	199.1	200.9	269.2	+ 34.0
TOTAL YEAR	9,761.6	9,973.9			908.4	970.8			1,641.6	1,523.4		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

(In thousands of metric tons)

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(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	288.6	286.1	340.7	+ 19.1	280.7	286.0	334.4	+ 16.9	38.7	20.1	22.6	+ 12.4
FEBRUARY	278.9	279.7	333.5	+ 19.2	280.6	278.1	333.3	+ 19.8	37.0	21.7	22.8	+ 5.1
MARCH	316.1	315.5			322.9	317.6			30.2	19.6		
APRIL	299.2	289.2			295.2	291.3			34.2	17.5		
MAY	302.4	307.3			306.1	305.3			30.6	19.5		
JUNE	303.8	305.8			307.1	304.0			27.3	21.3		
JULY	225.4	301.0			222.7	303.6			30.1	18.8		
AUGUST	246.4	323.4			251.3	321.9			25.1	20.3		
SEPTEMBER	289.2	305.9			287.0	305.1			27.2	21.1		
OCTOBER	296.4	334.0			301.5	333.5			22.2	21.6		
NOVEMBER	290.9	329.7			291.7	327.5			21.3	23.8		
DECEMBER	280.5	307.2			281.8	314.7			20.0	16.3		
2 MONTHS	567.5	565.8	674.2	+ 19.2	561.3	564.1	667.7	+ 18.4				
TOTAL YEAR	3,417.8	3,684.8			3,428.6	3,688.6						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	277.2	275.9	323.5	+ 17.3	3.5	10.1	10.9	+ 7.9	0	7.0	8.4	+ 20.0
FEBRUARY	271.2	275.2	321.7	+ 16.9	9.4	2.9	11.6	+300.0	0	12.1		
MARCH	312.7	308.2			10.2	9.4			0	2.3		
APRIL	288.0	286.1			7.2	5.2			0	9.4		
MAY	297.6	300.7			8.5	4.6			0	18.5		
JUNE	294.0	297.3			13.1	6.7			0	17.4		
JULY	219.2	299.3			3.5	4.3			0	16.6		
AUGUST	248.9	313.8			2.4	8.1			0	7.0		
SEPTEMBER	276.2	298.4			10.8	6.7			0	1.8		
OCTOBER	290.8	323.8			10.7	9.7			0	12.5		
NOVEMBER	283.6	318.1			8.1	9.4			0	15.7		
DECEMBER	273.7	305.4			8.1	9.3			0	11.6		
2 MONTHS	548.4	551.1	645.2	+ 17.1	12.9	13.0	22.5	+ 73.1				
TOTAL YEAR	3,333.1	3,602.2			95.5	86.4			0	131.9		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	CANADA											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	735.5	753.4	777.0	+ 3.1	653.6	709.7	727.2	+ 2.5	337.8	228.4	211.5	- 7.4
FEBRUARY	695.9	684.6	737.9	+ 7.8	624.0	662.1	744.2	+ 12.4	409.7	250.9	205.2	- 18.2
MARCH	749.1	750.5			841.4	763.3			317.5	238.2		
APRIL	756.7	725.9			724.4	721.8			349.8	242.4		
MAY	764.6	723.0			812.1	750.2			302.2	215.1		
JUNE	732.4	719.7			773.9	733.8			260.7	201.1		
JULY	760.4	720.4			755.3	719.9			265.8	201.6		
AUGUST	746.8	736.3			737.4	748.0			275.3	189.9		
SEPTEMBER	688.2	695.9			698.7	669.4			264.9	216.4		
OCTOBER	775.6	765.4			787.8	782.5			252.7	199.3		
NOVEMBER	709.8	748.8			718.2	744.3			244.3	203.8		
DECEMBER	696.5	732.4			756.2	774.5			184.4	161.7		
2 MONTHS	1,431.4	1,438.0	1,514.9	+ 5.3	1,277.6	1,371.8	1,471.4	+ 7.3				
TOTAL YEAR	8,811.5	8,756.3			8,883.0	8,779.5						

	DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS											
	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	486.0	526.6	527.1	+ 0.1	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	99.8	106.5	119.5	+ 12.2
FEBRUARY	463.7	508.4	537.1	+ 5.6	73.9	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	86.4	81.4	127.2	+ 56.3
MARCH	591.9	563.1			86.9	77.0			162.6	123.2		
APRIL	541.6	512.7			73.2	83.3			109.6	125.8		
MAY	596.9	523.4			79.9	88.3			135.3	138.5		
JUNE	554.5	530.9			76.3	84.6			143.1	118.3		
JULY	536.4	522.7			69.9	70.0			149.0	127.2		
AUGUST	545.1	538.5			64.8	80.0			127.5	129.5		
SEPTEMBER	498.7	476.2			72.4	79.4			127.6	113.8		
OCTOBER	576.4	561.2			86.3	89.0			125.1	132.3		
NOVEMBER	495.0	544.8			80.9	86.5			142.3	113.0		
DECEMBER	542.3	563.2			76.1	83.8			137.8	127.5		
2 MONTHS	949.7	1,035.0	1,064.2	+ 2.8	141.7	148.9	160.5	+ 7.8	186.2	187.9	246.7	+ 31.3
TOTAL YEAR	6,428.5	6,371.7			908.4	970.8			1,546.1	1,437.0		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

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(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION										
	ANPA (525) Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump. *		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	497.1	503.2	516.3R	+ 2.6	760.0	777.0	789.0P	+ 1.5	65.4	64.8	65.5P
FEBRUARY	472.7	496.6	521.7P	+ 5.1	725.0	769.0	791.0P	+ 2.9	65.2	64.6	66.0P
MARCH	543.9	570.3			824.0	875.0			66.0	65.2	
APRIL	562.3	574.7			865.0	885.0			65.0	64.9	
MAY	572.1	586.9			868.0	886.0			65.9	66.2	
JUNE	531.5	545.1			797.0	814.0			66.7	67.0	
JULY	508.4	518.8			769.0	786.0			66.1	66.0	
AUGUST	505.9	540.0			779.0	827.0			64.9	65.3	
SEPTEMBER	513.6	559.5			789.0	862.0			65.1	64.9	
OCTOBER	565.7	597.5			869.0	924.0			65.1	64.7	
NOVEMBER	595.9	600.5			923.0	908.0			64.6	66.1	
DECEMBER	577.3	580.1			896.0	884.0R			64.4	65.6R	
2 MONTHS	969.8	999.8	1,038.0	+ 3.8	1,485.0	1,546.0	1,580.0	+ 2.2			
TOTAL YEAR	6,446.4	6,673.2			9,864.0	10,197.0R					

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

* - 5 month moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted-Annual Basis			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,344	6,616	6,674R	+ 0.9	9,700	10,210	10,190R	- 0.2	12,205	12,820	13,817	+ 7.8
FEBRUARY	6,324	6,596	6,739P	+ 2.2	9,700	10,210	10,210P	-	12,283	12,792	14,040	+ 9.8
MARCH	6,448	6,683			9,770	10,250			13,184	12,294		
APRIL	6,389	6,594			9,830	10,160			12,537	12,280		
MAY	6,511	6,680			9,880	10,090			12,535	11,950		
JUNE	6,603	6,760			9,900	10,090			12,011	11,563		
JULY	6,511	6,732			9,850	10,200			12,117	12,636		
AUGUST	6,380	6,719			9,830	10,290			11,661	12,526		
SEPTEMBER	6,334	6,717			9,730	10,350			12,336	12,506		
OCTOBER	6,458	6,664			9,920	10,300			12,403	12,457		
NOVEMBER	6,518	6,775			10,090	10,250			12,003	12,647		
DECEMBER	6,582	6,665R			10,220	10,160			12,651	13,256		
2 MONTHS AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE	6,334	6,606	6,706	+ 1.5	9,700	10,210	10,200P	- 0.1				

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

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	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY - CONSUMERS' STOCKS ON HAND & IN TRANSIT*					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Pub.by ANPA (525)			U.S. Estimated Total		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	702.4	639.7	616.9R	- 3.6	730.9	667.0	643.9R	- 3.5	41	36	34	41	36	35
FEBRUARY	711.6	646.4	665.6P	+ 3.0	721.7	657.6	678.5P	+ 3.2	40	35	36P	40	36	36P
MARCH	742.5	650.5			735.[illegible]	646.6			40	34		41	35	
APRIL	742.2	642.5			741.4	643.8			41	34		41	33	
MAY	757.1	609.1			775.6	624.7			44	34		44	34	
JUNE	795.0	625.2			789.2	620.2			49	37		48	37	
JULY	815.1	668.1			786.3	644.9			49	38		47	37	
AUGUST	787.1	654.4			747.2	621.5			45	35		45	35	
SEPTEMBER	751.7	611.6			730.6	593.2			40	32		42	31	
OCTOBER	762.4	584.1			762.8	583.5			39	29		39	30	
NOVEMBER	690.1	556.5			711.5	572.5			38	30		37	31	
DECEMBER	660.0	627.6			674.7	640.4			40	38		38	34	

P - Preliminary. R- Revised

*The calculation of U.S. Consumers' days supply is based on consumption in subsequent months. For the most recent months a projected rate of consumption is used. Days supply for the ANPA group has been revised and is now based on consumption in the subsequent month.

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

	OPERATING RATES											
	United States				Canada				North America			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	96.0	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	96	96	100	+ 4.2	96.0	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3
FEBRUARY	97.9	92.7	97.1	+ 4.7	99	97	100	+ 3.1	98.7	95.7	99.1	+ 3.6
MARCH	97.2	96.5			100	98			99.2	97.6		
APRIL	97.2	96.2			100	95			99.2	95.3		
MAY	96.9	98.0			101	94			99.8	95.2		
JUNE	97.0	96.1			99	96			98.4	96.0		
JULY	85.0	91.3			98	92			94.7	91.8		
AUGUST	76.9	97.1			99	96			92.4	96.3		
SEPTEMBER	87.2	94.5			97	96			93.9	95.5		
OCTOBER	91.0	97.1			100	97			97.3	97.0		
NOVEMBER	93.2	96.4			97	100			95.9	98.9		
DECEMBER	85.0	89.1			97	101			93.2	97.2		
2 MONTHS	96.9	93.1	96.0	+ 3.1	97	97	100	+ 3.1	97.3	95.5	98.7	+ 3.4
TOTAL YEAR	92.1	97.6			98	97			96.6	96.6		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	429	253	176	495	269	658	95	625	3,000
1972	453	281	182	548	283	696	117	659	3,219
1973	432	279	172	575	321	748	161	630	3,318
1974*	425	230	160	562	315	730	158	670	3,250
1974	411	221	154	543	304	705	152	646	3,136
1975	463	254	193	551	299	701	142	632	3,235
1976	479	234	185	589	300	735	136	637	3,295
1977	502	216	187	582	303	743	151	706	3,390
1978	445	201	176	533	303	836	162	677	3,333
1979	467	206	194	611	307	859	182	776	3,602
Canada									
1971	1,969	1,660	358	589	103	24	187	686	5,576
1972	2,079	1,694	408	669	117	37	176	653	5,833
1973	2,122	1,746	434	789	128	55	196	749	6,219
1974*	2,237	1,920	456	807	159	73	192	723	6,567
1974	2,147	1,842	438	775	152	71	185	694	6,304
1975	1,711	1,480	315	570	93	62	145	603	4,979
1976	1,779	1,659	417	727	129	78	181	700	5,670
1977	1,873	1,607	387	739	111	74	204	756	5,751
1978	1,940	1,807	465	846	123	63	220	964	6,428
1979(1)									
North America									
1971	2,398	1,913	534	1,084	372	682	282	1,311	8,576
1972	2,532	1,975	590	1,217	400	733	293	1,312	9,052
1973	2,554	2,025	606	1,364	449	803	357	1,379	9,537
1974*	2,662	2,150	616	1,369	474	803	350	1,393	9,817
1974	2,558	2,063	592	1,318	456	776	337	1,340	9,440
1975	2,174	1,734	508	1,121	392	763	287	1,235	8,214
1976	2,258	1,893	602	1,316	429	813	317	1,337	8,965
1977	2,375	1,823	574	1,321	414	817	355	1,462	9,141
1978	2,385	2,008	641	1,379	426	899	382	1,641	9,761
1979(1)									

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association.

(1) - The 1979 revised shipments by destination for Canada and North America will appear in a later issue.

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA(1)			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA(1)		
		1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	120.9	121.6	+ 0.6	481.1			602.0		
	2 Q	120.7	117.9	- 2.3	487.1			607.8		
	3 Q	76.7	109.1	+ 42.2	485.2			561.9		
	4 Q	127.1	118.6	- 6.7	485.7			612.8		
	Year	445.4	467.2	+ 4.9	1,939.1			2,384.5		
East North Central	1 Q	53.4	52.9	- 0.9	423.9			477.3		
	2 Q	49.1	52.0	+ 5.9	463.8			512.9		
	3 Q	49.9	48.2	- 3.4	436.8			486.7		
	4 Q	48.0	53.0	+ 10.4	482.9			530.9		
	Year	200.4	206.1	+ 2.8	1,807.4			2,007.8		
West North Central	1 Q	44.8	49.3	+ 10.0	122.6			167.4		
	2 Q	43.1	47.3	+ 9.7	117.5			160.6		
	3 Q	43.4	50.2	+ 15.7	116.9			160.3		
	4 Q	44.8	47.5	+ 6.0	108.6			153.4		
	Year	176.1	194.3	+ 10.3	465.6			641.7		
South Atlantic	1 Q	133.7	131.5	- 1.6	207.0			340.7		
	2 Q	144.2	142.3	- 1.3	230.5			374.7		
	3 Q	125.8	166.2	+ 32.1	187.3			313.1		
	4 Q	128.4	171.1	+ 33.3	221.9			350.3		
	Year	532.1	611.1	+ 14.8	846.7			1,378.8		
East South Central	1 Q	76.8	71.0	- 7.6	36.9			113.7		
	2 Q	74.7	76.7	+ 2.7	37.8			112.5		
	3 Q	73.8	74.2	+ 0.5	23.9			97.7		
	4 Q	78.0	85.2	+ 9.2	24.4			102.4		
	Year	303.3	307.1	+ 1.3	123.0			426.3		
West South Central	1 Q	205.8	206.3	+ 0.2	18.2			224.0		
	2 Q	218.2	220.1	+ 0.9	10.7			228.9		
	3 Q	199.7	218.5	+ 9.4	17.5			217.2		
	4 Q	213.0	214.5	+ 0.7	15.8			228.8		
	Year	836.7	859.4	+ 2.7	62.2			898.9		
Mountain	1 Q	42.0	48.0	+ 14.3	46.3			88.3		
	2 Q	44.6	44.3	- 0.7	61.7			106.3		
	3 Q	35.3	41.5	+ 17.6	56.2			91.5		
	4 Q	40.8	47.8	+ 17.2	55.8			96.6		
	Year	162.7	181.6	+ 11.6	220.0			382.7		
Pacific	1 Q	183.7	178.7	- 2.7	205.6			389.3		
	2 Q	185.0	183.5	- 0.8	283.9			468.9		
	3 Q	139.7	203.6	+ 45.7	256.4			396.1		
	4 Q	168.0	209.6	+ 24.8	218.6			386.6		
	Year	676.4	775.4	+ 14.6	964.5			1,640.9		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	861.1	859.3	- 0.2	1,541.6			2,402.7		
	2 Q	879.6	884.1	+ 0.5	1,693.0			2,572.6		
	3 Q	744.3	911.5	+ 22.5	1,580.2			2,324.5		
	4 Q	848.1	947.3	+ 11.7	1,613.7			2,461.8		
	Year	3,333.1	3,602.2	+ 8.1	6,428.5			9,761.6		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

(1) - The 1979 revised shipments by destination for Canada and North America will appear in a later issue.

NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of metric tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS				INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS	(525) NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF YEAR
		TOTAL	TO UNITED STATES	TO CANADA	TO OTHER MARKETS			
United States								
1968	2,762	2,772	2,671	-	101	24	258	575
1969	3,050	3,051	2,945	-	106	24	266	634
1970	3,142	3,136	3,008	-	128	30	286	680
1971	3,153	3,146	3,000	-	146	37	288	639
1972	3,317	3,330	3,219	-	111	24	298	493
1973	3,391	3,395	3,318	-	77	21	346	547
1974*	3,348	3,347	3,250	-	97	23	-	780
1974	3,230	3,230	3,136	-	94	23	193	750
1975	3,348	3,347	3,235	-	112	19	30	666
1976	3,389	3,381	3,295	-	86	26	52	835
1977	3,512	3,507	3,390	-	117	31	0	722
1978	3,418	3,429	3,333	-	96	20	0	660
1979	3,685	3,689	3,602	-	87	16	132	628
Canada								
1968	7,286	7,345	5,540	612	1,193	184	-	
1969	7,945	7,930	5,822	643	1,465	200	-	
1970	7,808	7,795	5,575	650	1,570	214	-	
1971	7,670	7,586	5,576	654	1,356	301	-	
1972	8,001	8,075	5,833	709	1,533	228	-	
1973	8,292	8,345	6,219	779	1,347	175	-	
1974*	9,023	9,070	6,567	837	1,666	132	-	
1974	8,662	8,706	6,304	804	1,598	130	-	
1975	6,966	7,010	4,979	784	1,247	86	-	
1976	8,088	7,902	5,670	803	1,429	271	-	
1977	8,154	8,169	5,751	824	1,594	256	-	
1978	8,811	8,883	6,428	909	1,546	184	-	
1979	8,756	8,780	6,372	971	1,437	162	-	
North America								
1968	10,048	10,117	8,211	612	1,294	208	258	
1969	10,995	10,981	8,767	643	1,571	224	266	
1970	10,950	10,931	8,583	650	1,698	244	286	
1971	10,823	10,732	8,576	654	1,502	338	288	
1972	11,318	11,405	9,052	709	1,644	252	298	
1973	11,683	11,740	9,537	779	1,424	196	346	
1974*	12,371	12,417	9,817	837	1,763	155	-	
1974	11,892	11,936	9,440	804	1,692	153	193	
1975	10,314	10,357	8,214	784	1,359	105	30	
1976	11,477	11,283	8,965	803	1,515	297	52	
1977	11,666	11,676	9,141	824	1,711	287	0	
1978	12,229	12,312	9,761	909	1,642	204	0	
1979	12,441	12,469	9,974	971	1,524	178	132	

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION			TONNAGE LOSS DUE TO NEWSPAPER STRIKES
YEAR	AS REPORTED	48.8 G/M^2	
1968	8,461	7,932	168
1969	8,940	8,381	52
1970	8,805	8,271	72
1971	8,923	8,390	94
1972	9,568	9,016	6
1973	9,792	9,249	15
1974	9,330	9,164	25
1975	8,395	8,371	6
1976	8,719	8,688	0
1977	9,279	9,279	5
1978	9,864	9,868	130
1979	10,197R	10,190R	

UNITED STATES
NEWSPAPER

CIRCULATION PER HOUSEHOLD

YEAR	U.S. HOUSEHOLDS (000's)	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS)		CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD	
		DAILY	SUNDAY	DAILY	SUNDAY
1960	52,799	58.9	47.7	1.12	0.90
1961	53,557	59.3	48.2	1.11	0.90
1962	54,764	59.9	48.9	1.09	0.89
1963	55,270	58.9	46.8	1.07	0.85
1964	56,149	60.4	48.4	1.08	0.86
1965	57,436	60.4	48.6	1.05	0.85
1966	58,406	61.4	49.3	1.05	0.84
1967	59,236	61.6	49.2	1.04	0.83
1968	60,813	62.0	49.5	1.02	0.81
1969	62,214	62.0	49.7	1.00	0.80
1970	63,401	62.1	49.2	0.98	0.78
1971	64,778	62.2	49.7	0.96	0.77
1972	66,676	62.5	50.0	0.94	0.75
1973	68,251	63.1	51.7	0.92	0.76
1974	69,859	61.9	51.7	0.89	0.74
1975	71,120	60.7	51.1	0.85	0.72
1976	72,867	61.0	51.6	0.84	0.71
1977	74,142	61.5	52.4	0.83	0.71
1978	76,030	62.0P	54.0P	0.82	0.71
1979	78,157P				

*Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

P - Preliminary. R - Revised
Source: Department of Commerce and Editor and Publisher.

FORECASTS OF U.S. ECONOMY

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1980				1981				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1980	1981
Merrill Lynch Economics - March, 1980 Based on Revised 4th Qtr. data (1,440.7)	1,443.0	1,425.6	1,412.2	1,408.3	1,416.1	1,434.0	1,457.1	1,477.3	1,422.3	1,446.1
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 0.6	- 4.7	- 3.7	- 1.1	+ 2.2	+ 5.2	+ 6.6	+ 5.7	- 0.7	+ 1.7
The Conference Board - January, 1980 Based on Pre. 4th Qtr. data (1,438.4)	1,442.0	1,448.4	1,464.4	1,476.0	1,487.1	1,498.3	1,505.6	1,513.1	1,457.7	1,501.0
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 1.0	+ 1.8	+ 4.5	+ 3.2	+ 3.0	+ 3.0	+ 2.0	+ 2.0	+ 1.9	+ 3.0
Chase Econometric - January, 1980 Based on Pre. 4th Qtr. data (1,438.4)	1,424.9	1,409.8	1,405.2	1,416.0	1,428.3	1,439.8	1,450.8	1,463.2	1,414.0	1,445.5
% Change from next preceding quarter**	- 3.7	- 4.2	- 1.3	+ 3.1	+ 3.5	+ 3.3	+ 3.1	+ 3.5	- 1.2	+ 2.2
MacKay - Shields Economics- February, 1980 Based on Revised 4th Qtr. data (1,440.7)	1,435.0	1,421.0	1,404.0	1,605.0	1,418.0	1,439.0	N.A.	N.A.	1,416.0	N.A.
% Change from next preceding quarter**	- 1.7	- 3.7	- 4.9	+ 0.3	+ 4.0	+ 5.8	-	-	- 1.1	-

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2
Annual GNP for - 1979 - 1,431.6

Revised (second) 4th Qtr. data is 1,440.3

N.A. Not Available

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - March, 1980 Based on 4th Qtr. data (152.2)	152.7	150.2	147.0	145.0	145.8	148.9	153.3	156.6	148.8	151.2
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 1.5	- 6.5	- 8.2	- 5.5	+ 2.1	+ 8.8	+12.5	+ 9.0	- 2.2	+ 1.6

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES- BY MEDIA- PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T V	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.8	5.6	3.4	15.1	1.2	55.1	18.1	6.8	20.0
1975	30.0	5.2	3.3	14.6	1.2	54.3	18.7	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.2	1.1	53.1	20.0	6.9	20.0
1977	29.4	5.7	3.2	13.6	1.1	53.0	20.1	6.9	20.0
1978	28.9	5.9	3.2	13.6	1.1	52.7	20.4	6.9	20.0
1979	29.3	5.9	3.2	13.3	1.1	52.8	20.4	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			Tons	% Change
1966	2,309	8,054	10,363	-
1967	2,580	8,431	11,011	+ 6.3
1968	2,881	8,759	11,640	+ 5.7
1969	3,061	8,777	11,838	+ 1.7
1970	3,205	8,931	12,136	+ 2.5
1971	3,304	9,290	12,594	+ 3.8
1972	3,351	9,344	12,695	+ 0.8
1973	3,465	9,378	12,843	+ 1.2
1974	3,528	9,502	13,030	+ 1.5
	REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN G/M^2 (3)			
1974	3,377	9,106	12,483	-
1975	3,582	Revised 9,222	12,804	+ 2.6
1975	3,582	8,974(4)	12,556	-
1976	3,641	9,000	12,641	+ 0.7
1977	3,691	8,983	12,674	+ 0.3
1978	3,710R	8,946	12,656R	- 0.1
1979	3,776R	9,100	12,876R	+ 1.7
1980	4,174R	9,200	13,374R	+ 3.9
1981	4,661R	9,500	14,161R	+ 5.9
1982	4,946R	10,034E	14,980R	+ 5.8
1983	4,962R	10,148E	15,110R	+ 0.9

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979, plus subsequent revisions reflecting changes announced since that time.

(2) Source: CPPA. E - Estimated.
NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the grams per square meter (g/m^2) of newsprint from 52 to 48.8. A given area of printing surface of 48.8 g/m^2 paper weighs less than the same area of 52 g/m^2 paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

(In metric tons)

Company	Mill	Date	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, VA	Early '80	159,000	-	159,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, LA	Mid '80	163,000	-	163,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, CA	Mid '81	34,000	-	34,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	2nd qtr. '81	190,000	-	190,000
Publishers	Newberg, OR	Early '81	190,000	-	190,000
St. Regis	Houston, TX	Mid '81	130,000*	-	130,000*
Canadian Mills					
1980					
Kruger**	Bromptonville, QUE	1980	70,000	-	70,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, BC	Late '80	50,000	-	50,000
1981					
Abitibi Price	Stephenville, NFLD	Mid '81	135,000	-	135,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	Mid '81	190,000	-	190,000
1982					
British Columbia	Crofton, BC	Early '82	170,000	-	170,000
Consolidated - Bathurst	Belgo Div. Shawinigan, QUE	Jul. '82	40,000	-	40,000
Crown	Elk Falls, BC	Jan. '82	180,000	-	180,000
Donohue Normick	Amos, QUE	Mid '82	150,000	-	150,000
Ontario	Thorold, ONT	1982	26,000	74,000(5)	100,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements.

** Net increase - speed up of machine at Bromptonville, less transfer of machine at Three Rivers to coated papers.

(5) Groundwood Specialties.

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NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT **

REPORT FOR MARCH, 1980

Reflecting new capacity additions, shipments of newsprint from U.S. mills were up 17% in the first quarter compared to the same period last year.

Imports from overseas to the U.S. in February of 23,100 metric tons were at the highest level since February 1976.

(Thousands of Metric Tons)	MARCH			3 MOS. YEAR TO DATE			Details On Page No. *
	1979	1980	% Change	1979	1980	% Change	
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS							
NORTH AMERICA							
Production	1,066	1,140	+ 6.9	3,070	3,329	+ 8.4	2
% of Capacity	97.6	99.7	+ 2.2	96.2	99.0	+ 2.9	6
Shipments	1,081	1,129	+ 4.4	3,017	3,268	+ 8.3	2
UNITED STATES							
Production	315	357	+13.3	881	1,032	+17.1	3
% of Capacity	96.5	96.9	+ 0.4	94.3	96.3	+ 2.1	6
Shipments	318	352	+10.6	882	1,019	+15.6	3
CANADA							
Production	751	783	+ 4.3	2,189	2,297	+ 5.0	4
% of Capacity	98	101	+ 3.1	97	100	+ 3.1	6
Shipments	763	777	+ 1.8	2,135	2,249	+ 5.3	4
U.S. Consumption							
(525) ANPA Newspapers	570	576	+ 1.0	1,570	1,613	+ 2.8	5
Estimated Total	875	875P	-	2,421	2,457P	+ 1.5	
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	650	682P	+ 4.8				6
North American Mills – Stocks	258	239	- 7.1				2

*** Additional information proceeds as follows: Graph – 1; Shipments by Destination – 7 & 8; Historical Data – 9; Circulations – 9; Forecasts of U.S. Economy – 10; Capacity Information – 11.**

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

Abitibi Southern Corporation
Bear Island Paper Company
Boise Cascade Corporation
Boise Southern Company
Bowater Incorporated

Crown Zellerbach Corporation
Field Enterprises, Inc.
Garden State Paper Company
Great Northern Paper Company
Inland Empire Paper Company
International Paper Company

North Pacific Paper Company
Publishers Paper Company
Southland Paper Division of St.Regis Paper Co.
Southeast Paper Mfg. Company
Southwest Forest Industries

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.
** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing
P- Preliminary

In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., and the U.S. Bureau of Census.

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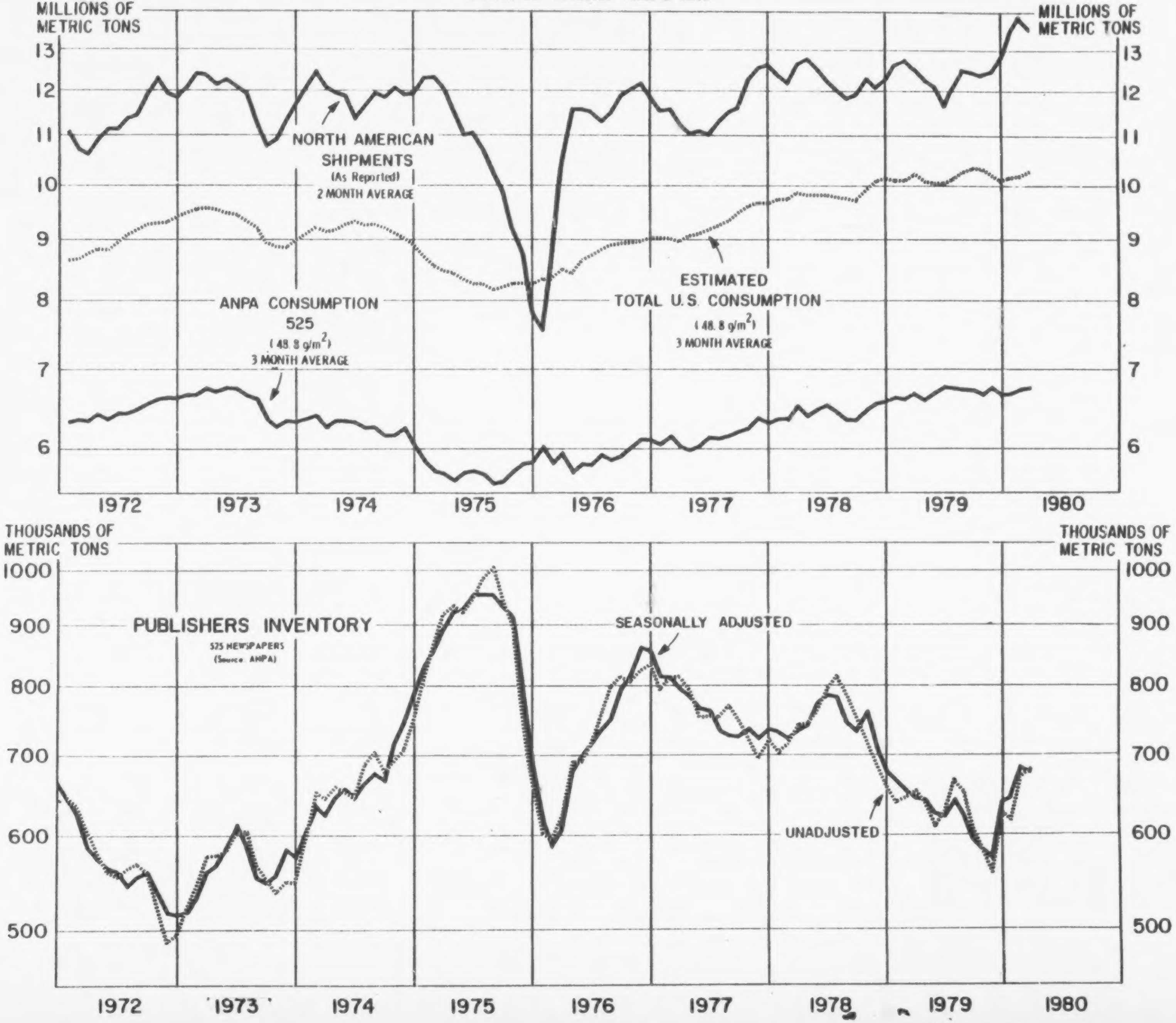
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE



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NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

NORTH AMERICA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,024.1	1,039.5	1,117.7	+ 7.5	934.3	995.7	1,061.6	+ 6.6	376.5	248.5	234.1	- 5.8
FEBRUARY	974.8	964.3	1,071.4	+ 11.1	904.6	940.2	1,077.5	+ 14.6	446.7	272.6	228.0	- 16.4
MARCH	1,065.2	1,066.0	1,140.0	+ 6.9	1,164.3	1,080.9	1,128.6	+ 4.4	347.7	257.8	239.5	- 7.1
APRIL	1,055.9	1,015.1			1,019.6	1,013.1			384.0	259.9		
MAY	1,067.0	1,030.3			1,118.2	1,055.5			332.8	234.6		
JUNE	1,036.2	1,025.5			1,081.0	1,037.8			288.0	222.4		
JULY	985.8	1,021.4			978.0	1,023.5			295.9	220.4		
AUGUST	993.2	1,059.7			988.7	1,069.9			300.4	210.2		
SEPTEMBER	977.4	1,001.8			985.7	974.5			292.1	237.5		
OCTOBER	1,072.0	1,099.4			1,089.3	1,116.0			274.9	220.9		
NOVEMBER	1,000.7	1,078.5			1,009.9	1,071.8			265.6	227.6		
DECEMBER	977.0	1,039.6			1,038.0	1,089.2			204.4	178.0		
3 MONTHS	3,064.1	3,069.8	3,329.1	+ 8.4	3,003.2	3,016.8	3,267.7	+ 8.3				
TOTAL YEAR	12,229.3	12,441.1			12,311.6	12,468.1						

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	763.2	802.5	850.6	+ 6.0	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	103.3	116.6	130.4	+ 11.8
FEBRUARY	734.9	783.6	858.8	+ 9.6	73.9	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	95.8	84.3	138.8	+ 64.7
MARCH	904.6	871.3	895.2	+ 2.7	86.9	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	172.8	132.6	148.7	+ 12.1
APRIL	829.6	798.8			73.2	83.3			116.8	131.0		
MAY	894.5	824.1			79.9	88.3			143.8	143.1		
JUNE	848.5	828.2			76.3	84.6			156.2	125.0		
JULY	755.6	822.0			69.9	70.0			152.5	131.5		
AUGUST	794.0	852.3			64.8	80.0			129.9	137.6		
SEPTEMBER	774.9	774.6			72.4	79.4			138.4	120.5		
OCTOBER	867.2	885.0			86.3	89.0			135.8	142.0		
NOVEMBER	778.6	862.9			80.9	86.5			150.4	122.4		
DECEMBER	816.0	868.6			76.1	83.8			145.9	136.8		
3 MONTHS	2,402.7	2,457.4	2,604.6	+ 6.0	228.6	225.9	245.2	+ 8.5	371.9	333.5	417.9	+ 25.3
TOTAL YEAR	9,761.6	9,973.9			908.4	970.8			1,641.6	1,523.4		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	288.6	286.1	340.7	+ 19.1	280.7	286.0	334.4	+ 16.9	38.7	20.1	22.6	+ 12.4
FEBRUARY	278.9	279.7	333.5	+ 19.2	280.6	278.1	333.3	+ 19.8	37.0	21.7	22.8	+ 5.1
MARCH	316.1	315.5	357.6	+ 13.3	322.9	317.6	351.3	+ 10.6	30.2	19.6	29.2	+ 49.0
APRIL	299.2	289.2			295.2	291.3			34.2	17.5		
MAY	302.4	307.3			306.1	305.3			30.6	19.5		
JUNE	303.8	305.8			307.1	304.0			27.3	21.3		
JULY	225.4	301.0			222.7	303.6			30.1	18.8		
AUGUST	246.4	323.4			251.3	321.9			25.1	20.3		
SEPTEMBER	289.2	305.9			287.0	305.1			27.2	21.1		
OCTOBER	296.4	334.0			301.5	333.5			22.2	21.6		
NOVEMBER	290.9	329.7			291.7	327.5			21.3	23.8		
DECEMBER	280.5	307.2			281.8	314.7			20.0	16.3		
3 MONTHS	883.6	881.3	1,031.8	+ 17.1	884.2	881.7	1,019.0	+ 15.6				
TOTAL YEAR	3,417.8	3,684.8			3,428.6	3,688.6						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	277.2	275.9	323.5	+ 17.3	3.5	10.1	10.9	+ 7.9	0	7.0	8.4	+ 20.0
FEBRUARY	271.2	275.2	321.7	+ 16.9	9.4	2.9	11.6	+300.0	0	12.1	23.1	+ 90.9
MARCH	312.7	308.2	343.9	+ 11.6	10.2	9.4	7.4	- 21.3	0	2.3		
APRIL	288.0	286.1			7.2	5.2			0	9.4		
MAY	297.6	300.7			8.5	4.6			0	18.5		
JUNE	294.0	297.3			13.1	6.7			0	17.4		
JULY	219.2	299.3			3.5	4.3			0	16.6		
AUGUST	248.9	313.8			2.4	8.1			0	7.0		
SEPTEMBER	276.2	298.4			10.8	6.7			0	1.8		
OCTOBER	290.8	323.8			10.7	9.7			0	12.5		
NOVEMBER	283.6	318.1			8.1	9.4			0	15.7		
DECEMBER	273.7	305.4			8.1	9.3			0	11.6		
3 MONTHS	861.1	859.3	989.1	+ 15.1	23.1	22.4	29.9	+ 33.5	(2 mos.)	19.1	31.5	+ 64.9
TOTAL YEAR	3,333.1	3,602.2			95.5	86.4			0	131.9		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

CANADA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	735.5	753.4	777.0	+ 3.1	653.6	709.7	727.2	+ 2.5	337.8	228.4	211.5	- 7.4
FEBRUARY	695.9	684.6	737.9	+ 7.8	624.0	662.1	744.2	+ 12.4	409.7	250.9	205.2	- 18.2
MARCH	749.1	750.5	782.4	+ 4.3	841.4	763.3	777.3	+ 1.8	317.5	238.2	210.3	- 11.7
APRIL	756.7	725.9			724.4	721.8			349.8	242.4		
MAY	764.6	723.0			812.1	750.2			302.2	215.1		
JUNE	732.4	719.7			773.9	733.8			260.7	201.1		
JULY	760.4	720.4			755.3	719.9			265.8	201.6		
AUGUST	746.8	736.3			737.4	748.0			275.3	189.9		
SEPTEMBER	688.2	695.9			698.7	669.4			264.9	216.4		
OCTOBER	775.6	765.4			787.8	782.5			252.7	199.3		
NOVEMBER	709.8	748.8			718.2	744.3			244.3	203.8		
DECEMBER	696.5	732.4			756.2	774.5			184.4	161.7		
3 MONTHS	2,180.5	2,188.5	2,297.3	+ 5.0	2,119.0	2,135.1	2,248.7	+ 5.3				
TOTAL YEAR	8,811.5	8,756.3			8,883.0	8,779.5						

DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	486.0	526.6	527.1	+ 0.1	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	99.8	106.5	119.5	+ 12.2
FEBRUARY	463.7	508.4	537.1	+ 5.6	73.9	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	86.4	81.4	127.2	+ 56.3
MARCH	591.9	563.1	551.3	- 2.1	86.9	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	162.6	123.2	141.3	+ 14.7
APRIL	541.6	512.7			73.2	83.3			109.6	125.8		
MAY	596.9	523.4			79.9	88.3			135.3	138.5		
JUNE	554.5	530.9			76.3	84.6			143.1	118.3		
JULY	536.4	522.7			69.9	70.0			149.0	127.2		
AUGUST	545.1	538.5			64.8	80.0			127.5	129.5		
SEPTEMBER	498.7	476.2			72.4	79.4			127.6	113.8		
OCTOBER	576.4	561.2			86.3	89.0			125.1	132.3		
NOVEMBER	495.0	544.8			80.9	86.5			142.3	113.0		
DECEMBER	542.3	563.2			76.1	83.8			137.8	127.5		
3 MONTHS	1,541.6	1,598.1	1,615.5	+ 1.1	228.6	225.9	245.2	+ 8.5	348.8	311.1	388.0	+ 24.7
TOTAL YEAR	6,428.5	6,371.7			908.4	970.8			1,546.1	1,437.0		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA (525) Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump.*		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	497.1	503.2	516.3	+ 2.6	760.0	777.0	789.0	+ 1.5	65.4	64.8	65.4R
FEBRUARY	472.7	496.6	521.1R	+ 4.9	725.0	769.0	793.0R	+ 3.1	65.2	64.6	65.7R
MARCH	543.9	570.3	575.9P	+ 1.0	824.0	875.0	875.0P	-	66.0	65.2	65.8P
APRIL	562.3	574.7			865.0	885.0			65.0	64.9	
MAY	572.1	586.9			868.0	886.0			65.9	66.2	
JUNE	531.5	545.1			797.0	814.0			66.7	67.0	
JULY	508.4	518.8			769.0	786.0			66.1	66.0	
AUGUST	505.9	540.0			779.0	827.0			64.9	65.3	
SEPTEMBER	513.6	559.5			789.0	862.0			65.1	64.9	
OCTOBER	565.7	597.5			869.0	924.0			65.1	64.7	
NOVEMBER	595.9	600.5			923.0	908.0			64.6	66.1	
DECEMBER	577.3	580.1			896.0	884.0R			64.4	65.6R	
3 MONTHS	1,513.7	1,570.1	1,613.3	+ 2.8	2,309.0	2,421.0	2,457.0	+ 1.5			
TOTAL YEAR	6,446.4	6,673.2			9,864.0	10,197.0R					

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

* - 5 month moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted-Annual Basis			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,344	6,616	6,671R	+ 0.8	9,700	10,210	10,200R	- 0.1	12,205	12,820	13,817	+ 7.8
FEBRUARY	6,324	6,596	6,715R	+ 1.8	9,700	10,210	10,220R	+ 0.1	12,283	12,792	14,040	+ 9.8
MARCH	6,448	6,683	6,751(P)	+ 1.0	9,770	10,250	10,260P	+ 0.1	13,184	12,294	13,048	+ 6.1
APRIL	6,389	6,594			9,830	10,160			12,537	12,280		
MAY	6,511	6,680			9,880	10,090			12,535	11,950		
JUNE	6,603	6,760			9,900	10,090			12,011	11,563		
JULY	6,511	6,732			9,850	10,200			12,117	12,636		
AUGUST	6,380	6,719			9,830	10,290			11,661	12,526		
SEPTEMBER	6,334	6,717			9,730	10,350			12,336	12,506		
OCTOBER	6,458	6,664			9,920	10,300			12,403	12,457		
NOVEMBER	6,518	6,775			10,090	10,250			12,003	12,647		
DECEMBER	6,582	6,665			10,220	10,160			12,651	13,256		
3 MONTHS AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE	6,372	6,632	6,712	+ 1.2	9,723	10,223	10,227P	+ 0.04				

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY - CONSUMERS' STOCKS ON HAND & IN TRANSIT*					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Pub.by ANPA (525)			U. S. Estimated Total		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	702.4	639.7	616.9	- 3.6	730.9	667.0	643.9	- 3.5	41	36	34	41	36	34R
FEBRUARY	711.6	646.4	670.4R	+ 3.7	721.7	657.6	683.4R	+ 3.9	40	35	36	40	36	36P
MARCH	742.5	650.5	681.9P	+ 4.8	735.6	646.6	679.2P	+ 5.0	40	34	35	41	35	36P
APRIL	742.2	642.5			741.4	643.8			41	34		41	33	
MAY	757.1	609.1			775.6	624.7			44	34		44	34	
JUNE	795.0	625.2			789.2	620.2			49	37		48	37	
JULY	815.1	668.1			786.3	644.9			49	38		47	37	
AUGUST	787.1	654.4			747.2	621.5			45	35		45	35	
SEPTEMBER	751.7	611.6			730.6	593.2			40	32		42	31	
OCTOBER	762.4	584.1			762.8	583.5			39	29		39	30	
NOVEMBER	690.1	556.5			711.5	572.5			38	30		37	31	
DECEMBER	660.0	627.6			674.7	640.4			40	38		38	34	

P - Preliminary. R- Revised

*The calculation of U.S. Consumers' days supply is based on consumption in subsequent months. For the most recent months a projected rate of consumption is used. Days supply for the ANPA group has been revised and is now based on consumption in the subsequent month.

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

	OPERATING RATES											
	United States				Canada				North America			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	96.0	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	96	96	100	+ 4.2	96.0	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3
FEBRUARY	97.9	92.7	97.1	+ 4.7	99	97	100	+ 3.1	98.7	95.7	99.1	+ 3.6
MARCH	97.2	96.5	96.9	+ 0.4	100	98	101	+ 3.1	99.2	97.6	99.7	+ 2.2
APRIL	97.2	96.2			100	95			99.2	95.3		
MAY	96.9	98.0			101	94			99.8	95.2		
JUNE	97.0	96.1			99	96			98.4	96.0		
JULY	85.0	91.3			98	92			94.7	91.8		
AUGUST	76.9	97.1			99	96			92.4	96.3		
SEPTEMBER	87.2	94.5			97	96			93.9	95.5		
OCTOBER	91.0	97.1			100	97			97.3	97.0		
NOVEMBER	93.2	96.4			97	100			95.9	98.9		
DECEMBER	85.0	89.1			97	101			93.2	97.2		
3 MONTHS	97.0	94.3	96.3	+ 2.1	98	97	100	+ 3.1	97.9	96.2	99.0	+ 2.9
TOTAL YEAR	92.1	97.6			98	97			96.6	96.6		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	429	253	176	495	269	658	95	625	3,000
1972	453	281	182	548	283	696	117	659	3,219
1973	432	279	172	575	321	748	161	630	3,318
1974*	425	230	160	562	315	730	158	670	3,250
1974	411	221	154	543	304	705	152	646	3,136
1975	463	254	193	551	299	701	142	632	3,235
1976	479	234	185	589	300	735	136	637	3,295
1977	502	216	187	582	303	743	151	706	3,390
1978	445	201	176	533	303	836	162	677	3,333
1979	467	206	194	611	307	859	182	776	3,602
Canada									
1971	1,969	1,660	358	589	103	24	187	686	5,576
1972	2,079	1,694	408	669	117	37	176	653	5,833
1973	2,122	1,746	434	789	128	55	196	749	6,219
1974*	2,237	1,920	456	807	159	73	192	723	6,567
1974	2,147	1,842	438	775	152	71	185	694	6,304
1975	1,711	1,480	315	570	93	62	145	603	4,979
1976	1,779	1,659	417	727	129	78	181	700	5,670
1977	1,873	1,607	387	739	111	74	204	756	5,751
1978	1,940	1,807	465	846	123	63	220	964	6,428
1979(1)									
North America									
1971	2,398	1,913	534	1,084	372	682	282	1,311	8,576
1972	2,532	1,975	590	1,217	400	733	293	1,312	9,052
1973	2,554	2,025	606	1,364	449	803	357	1,379	9,537
1974*	2,662	2,150	616	1,369	474	803	350	1,393	9,817
1974	2,558	2,063	592	1,318	456	776	337	1,340	9,440
1975	2,174	1,734	508	1,121	392	763	287	1,235	8,214
1976	2,258	1,893	602	1,316	429	813	317	1,337	8,965
1977	2,375	1,823	574	1,321	414	817	355	1,462	9,141
1978	2,385	2,008	641	1,379	426	899	382	1,641	9,761
1979(1)									

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association.

(1) - The 1979 revised shipments by destination for Canada and North America will appear in a later issue.

NORTH AMERICAN NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA(1)			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA(1)		
		1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	120.9	121.6	+ 0.6	481.1			602.0		
	2 Q	120.7	117.9	- 2.3	487.1			607.8		
	3 Q	76.7	109.1	+ 42.2	485.2			561.9		
	4 Q	127.1	118.6	- 6.7	485.7			612.8		
	Year	445.4	467.2	+ 4.9	1,939.1			2,384.5		
East North Central	1 Q	53.4	52.9	- 0.9	423.9			477.3		
	2 Q	49.1	52.0	+ 5.9	463.8			512.9		
	3 Q	49.9	48.2	- 3.4	436.8			486.7		
	4 Q	48.0	53.0	+ 10.4	482.9			530.9		
	Year	200.4	206.1	+ 2.8	1,807.4			2,007.8		
West North Central	1 Q	44.8	49.3	+ 10.0	122.6			167.4		
	2 Q	43.1	47.3	+ 9.7	117.5			160.6		
	3 Q	43.4	50.2	+ 15.7	116.9			160.3		
	4 Q	44.8	47.5	+ 6.0	108.6			153.4		
	Year	176.1	194.3	+ 10.3	465.6			641.7		
South Atlantic	1 Q	133.7	131.5	- 1.6	207.0			340.7		
	2 Q	144.2	142.3	- 1.3	230.5			374.7		
	3 Q	125.8	166.2	+ 32.1	187.3			313.1		
	4 Q	128.4	171.1	+ 33.3	221.9			350.3		
	Year	532.1	611.1	+ 14.8	846.7			1,378.8		
East South Central	1 Q	76.8	71.0	- 7.6	36.9			113.7		
	2 Q	74.7	76.7	+ 2.7	37.8			112.5		
	3 Q	73.8	74.2	+ 0.5	23.9			97.7		
	4 Q	78.0	85.2	+ 9.2	24.4			102.4		
	Year	303.3	307.1	+ 1.3	123.0			426.3		
West South Central	1 Q	205.8	206.3	+ 0.2	18.2			224.0		
	2 Q	218.2	220.1	+ 0.9	10.7			228.9		
	3 Q	199.7	218.5	+ 9.4	17.5			217.2		
	4 Q	213.0	214.5	+ 0.7	15.8			228.8		
	Year	836.7	859.4	+ 2.7	62.2			898.9		
Mountain	1 Q	42.0	48.0	+ 14.3	46.3			88.3		
	2 Q	44.6	44.3	- 0.7	61.7			106.3		
	3 Q	35.3	41.5	+ 17.6	56.2			91.5		
	4 Q	40.8	47.8	+ 17.2	55.8			96.6		
	Year	162.7	181.6	+ 11.6	220.0			382.7		
Pacific	1 Q	183.7	178.7	- 2.7	205.6			389.3		
	2 Q	185.0	183.5	- 0.8	283.9			468.9		
	3 Q	139.7	203.6	+ 45.7	256.4			396.1		
	4 Q	168.0	209.6	+ 24.8	218.6			386.6		
	Year	676.4	775.4	+ 14.6	964.5			1,640.9		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	861.1	859.3	- 0.2	1,541.6			2,402.7		
	2 Q	879.6	884.1	+ 0.5	1,693.0			2,572.6		
	3 Q	744.3	911.5	+ 22.5	1,580.2			2,324.5		
	4 Q	848.1	947.3	+ 11.7	1,613.7			2,461.8		
	Year	3,333.1	3,602.2	+ 8.1	6,428.5			9,761.6		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

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NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of metric tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS TOTAL	SHIPMENTS TO UNITED STATES	SHIPMENTS TO CANADA	SHIPMENTS TO OTHER MARKETS	INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS	(525) NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF YEAR
United States								
1968	2,762	2,772	2,671	-	101	24	258	575
1969	3,050	3,051	2,945	-	106	24	266	634
1970	3,142	3,136	3,008	-	128	30	286	680
1971	3,153	3,146	3,000	-	146	37	288	639
1972	3,317	3,330	3,219	-	111	24	298	493
1973	3,391	3,395	3,318	-	77	21	346	547
1974*	3,348	3,347	3,250	-	97	23		780
1974	3,230	3,230	3,136	-	94	23	193	750
1975	3,348	3,347	3,235	-	112	19	30	666
1976	3,389	3,381	3,295	-	86	26	52	835
1977	3,512	3,507	3,390	-	117	31	0	722
1978	3,418	3,429	3,333	-	96	20	0	660
1979	3,685	3,689	3,602	-	87	16	132	628
Canada								
1968	7,286	7,345	5,540	612	1,193	184	-	
1969	7,945	7,930	5,822	643	1,465	200	-	
1970	7,808	7,795	5,575	650	1,570	214	-	
1971	7,670	7,586	5,576	654	1,356	301	-	
1972	8,001	8,075	5,833	709	1,533	228	-	
1973	8,292	8,345	6,219	779	1,347	175	-	
1974*	9,023	9,070	6,567	837	1,666	132	-	
1974	8,662	8,706	6,304	804	1,598	130	-	
1975	6,966	7,010	4,979	784	1,247	86	-	
1976	8,088	7,902	5,670	803	1,429	271	-	
1977	8,154	8,169	5,751	824	1,594	256	-	
1978	8,811	8,883	6,428	909	1,546	184	-	
1979	8,756	8,780	6,372	971	1,437	162	-	
North America								
1968	10,048	10,117	8,211	612	1,294	208	258	
1969	10,995	10,981	8,767	643	1,571	224	266	
1970	10,950	10,931	8,583	650	1,698	244	286	
1971	10,823	10,732	8,576	654	1,502	338	288	
1972	11,318	11,405	9,052	709	1,644	252	298	
1973	11,683	11,740	9,537	779	1,424	196	346	
1974*	12,371	12,417	9,817	837	1,763	155	-	
1974	11,892	11,936	9,440	804	1,692	153	193	
1975	10,314	10,357	8,214	784	1,359	105	30	
1976	11,477	11,283	8,965	803	1,515	297	52	
1977	11,666	11,676	9,141	824	1,711	287	0	
1978	12,229	12,312	9,761	909	1,642	204	0	
1979	12,441	12,469	9,974	971	1,524	178	132	

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION YEAR	U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION AS REPORTED	U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION 48.8 G/M^2	TONNAGE LOSS DUE TO NEWSPAPER STRIKES
1968	8,461	7,932	168
1969	8,940	8,381	52
1970	8,805	8,271	72
1971	8,923	8,390	94
1972	9,568	9,016	6
1973	9,792	9,249	15
1974	9,330	9,164	25
1975	8,395	8,321	6
1976	8,719	8,688	0
1977	9,279	9,279	5
1978	9,864	9,868	130
1979	10,197R	10,190R	

UNITED STATES NEWSPAPER

CIRCULATION PER HOUSEHOLD

YEAR	U.S. HOUSEHOLDS (000's)	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) DAILY	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) SUNDAY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD DAILY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD SUNDAY
1960	52,799	58.9	47.7	1.12	0.90
1961	53,557	59.3	48.2	1.11	0.90
1962	54,764	59.9	48.9	1.09	0.89
1963	55,270	58.9	46.8	1.07	0.85
1964	56,149	60.4	48.4	1.08	0.86
1965	57,436	60.4	48.6	1.05	0.85
1966	58,406	61.4	49.3	1.05	0.84
1967	59,236	61.6	49.2	1.04	0.83
1968	60,813	62.0	49.5	1.02	0.81
1969	62,214	62.0	49.7	1.00	0.80
1970	63,401	62.1	49.2	0.98	0.78
1971	64,778	62.2	49.7	0.96	0.77
1972	66,676	62.5	50.0	0.94	0.75
1973	68,251	63.1	51.7	0.92	0.76
1974	69,859	61.9	51.7	0.89	0.74
1975	71,120	60.7	51.1	0.85	0.72
1976	72,867	61.0	51.6	0.84	0.71
1977	74,142	61.5	52.4	0.83	0.71
1978	76,030	62.0P	54.0P	0.82	0.71
1979	78,157P				

*Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

Source: Department of Commerce and Editor and Publisher.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1980				1981				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1980	1981
Merrill Lynch Economics - April, 1980 Based on Rev. (Second) 4th qtr. data (1,440.3) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,448.3 + 2.2	1,421.3 - 7.3	1,401.8 - 5.4	1,397.5 - 1.2	1,404.0 + 1.9	1,414.6 + 3.9	1,437.3 + 5.7	1,453.5 + 4.6	1,417.2 - 1.0	1,428.1 + 0.8
The Conference Board - January, 1980 Based on Pre. 4th qtr. data (1,438.4) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,442.0 + 1.0	1,448.4 + 1.8	1,464.4 + 4.5	1,476.0 + 3.2	1,487.1 + 3.0	1,498.3 + 3.0	1,504.1 + 1.6	1,509.6 + 1.5	1,457.7 + 1.9	1,499.8 + 2.9
Chase Econometric - February, 1980 Based on Revised 4th qtr data (1,440.7) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,439.0 - 0.5	1,419.3 - 5.4	1,402.7 - 4.6	1,412.6 + 2.9	1,425.2 + 3.6	1,436.7 + 3.3	1,448.1 + 3.2	1,460.6 + 3.5	1,418.4 - 0.9	1,442.6 + 1.7
MacKay - Shields Economics - February, 1980 Based on Revised 4th qtr. data (1,440.7) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,435.0 - 1.7	1,421.0 - 3.7	1,404.0 - 4.9	1,405.0 + 0.3	1,418.0 + 4.0	1,439.0 + 5.8	N.A. -	N.A. -	1,416.0 - 1.1	N.A. -

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2
Annual GNP for - 1979 - 1,431.6

N. A. NOT AVAILABLE

Preliminary 1st qtr. data is 1,444.2

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - April 1980 Based on 4th qtr. data (152.2) % Change from next preceding quarter**	152.1 - 0.2	147.5 -11.4	144.0 - 9.3	142.4 - 4.2	143.1 + 2.0	146.4 + 9.4	150.2 +10.8	152.9 + 7.6	146.5 - 3.7	148.1 + 1.1

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES - BY MEDIA - PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T V	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	56.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.8	5.6	3.4	18.1	1.2	55.1	18.1	6.8	20.0
1975	30.0	5.2	3.3	14.6	1.2	54.3	18.7	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.2	1.1	53.1	20.0	6.9	20.0
1977	29.4	5.7	3.2	13.6	1.1	53.0	20.1	6.9	20.0
1978	28.9	5.9	3.2	13.6	1.1	52.7	20.6	6.9	20.0
1979	29.3	5.9	3.2	13.3	1.1	52.8	20.4	6.8	20.0

* - including Farm Publications

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			Tons	% Change
1966	2,309	8,054	10,363	-
1967	2,580	8,431	11,011	+ 6.3
1968	2,881	8,759	11,640	+ 5.7
1969	3,061	8,777	11,838	+ 1.7
1970	3,205	8,931	12,136	+ 2.5
1971	3,304	9,290	12,594	+ 3.8
1972	3,351	9,344	12,695	+ 0.8
1973	3,465	9,378	12,843	+ 1.2
1974	3,528	9,502	13,030	+ 1.5
	REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN G/M^2 (3)			
1974	3,377	9,106	12,483	-
1975	3,582	9,222	12,804	+ 2.6
1975	3,582	Revised 8,974(4)	12,556	-
1976	3,641	9,000	12,641	+ 0.7
1977	3,691	8,983	12,674	+ 0.3
1978	3,710R	8,946	12,656R	- 0.1
1979	3,776R	9,100	12,876R	+ 1.7
1980	4,258R	9,200	13,458R	+ 4.5
1981	4,679R	9,500	14,179R	+ 5.4
1982	4,964R	10,084E	15,048R	+ 6.1
1983	4,980R	10,248E	15,228R	+ 1.2

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979, plus subsequent revisions reflecting changes announced since that time.

(2) Source: CPPA. E - Estimated.
NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the grams per square meter (g/m^2) of newsprint from 52 to 48.8. A given area of printing surface of 48.8 g/m^2 paper weighs less than the same area of 52 g/m^2 paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

(In metric tons)

Company	Mill	Date	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, VA	Early '80	159,000	-	159,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, LA	Mid '80	163,000	-	163,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, CA	Mid '81	34,000	-	34,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	2nd qtr. '81	190,000	-	190,000
Publishers	Newberg, OR	Early '81	190,000	-	190,000
St. Regis	Houston, TX	Mid '81	130,000*	-	130,000*
Canadian Mills					
1980					
Kruger**	Bromptonville, QUE	1980	70,000	-	70,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, BC	Late '80	50,000	-	50,000
1981					
Abitibi Price	Stephenville, NFLD	Beg. '81	135,000	-	135,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	Mid '81	190,000	-	190,000
1982					
British Columbia	Crofton, BC	Early '82	170,000	-	170,000
Consolidated - Bathurst	Belgo Div. Shawinigan, QUE	Jul. '82	40,000	-	40,000
Crown	Elk Falls, BC	Jan. '82	180,000	-	180,000
Donohue Normick	Amos, QUE	Mid '82	150,000	-	150,000
New Brunswick	Dalhousie, NB	Mid '82	100,000	-	100,000
Ontario	Thorold, ONT	1982	26,000	74,000(5)	100,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements.

** Net increase - speed up of machine at Bromptonville, less transfer of machine at Three Rivers to coated papers.

(5) Groundwood Specialties.

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ENTIRE REPORT IS SET FORTH IN METRIC TONS

NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT**

REPORT FOR APRIL 1980

Shipments of newsprint from North American mills, on a seasonally adjusted basis, was up 8.4% from April of last year.

U.S. consumption, seasonally adjusted, showed a slight downtrend from last April.

Publisher inventories (ANPA 525 Sample) showed a 12% increase from last April.

(Thousands of Metric Tons)	APRIL			4 MOS. YEAR TO DATE			Details On Page No.*
	1979	1980	% Change	1979	1980	% Change	
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS							
NORTH AMERICA							
Production	1,015	1,105	+ 8.9	4,085	4,434	+ 8.6	2
% of Capacity	95.3	98.9	+ 3.8	96.0	99.0	+ 3.1	6
Shipments	1,013	1,109	+ 9.4	4,030	4,376	+ 8.6	2
UNITED STATES							
Production	289	339	+17.3	1,171	1,371	+17.1	3
% of Capacity	96.2	96.4	+ 0.2	94.8	96.3	+ 1.6	6
Shipments	291	346	+18.8	1,173	1,365	+16.4	3
CANADA							
Production	726	766	+ 5.6	2,914	3,063	+ 5.1	4
% of Capacity	95	100	+ 5.3	97	100	+ 3.1	6
Shipments	722	763	+ 5.7	2,857	3,011	+ 5.4	4
U.S. Consumption							
(525) ANPA Newspapers	575	545P	- 5.2	2,145	2,161	+ 0.7	5
Estimated Total	885	855P	- 3.4	3,306	3,316	+ 0.3	
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	642	720P	+12.0	▨	▨	▨	6
North American Mills – Stocks	260	236	- 9.1	▨	▨	▨	2

* Additional information proceeds as follows: Graph – 1; Shipments by Destination – 7 & 8; Historical Data – 9; Circulations – 9; Forecasts of U.S. Economy – 10; Capacity Information – 11.

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

Abitibi Southern Corporation
Bear Island Paper Company
Boise Cascade Corporation
Boise Southern Company
Bowater Incorporated

Crown Zellerbach Corporation
Field Enterprises, Inc.
Garden State Paper Company
Great Northern Paper Company
Inland Empire Paper Company
International Paper Company

North Pacific Paper Company
Publishers Paper Company
Southland Paper Division of St.Regis Paper Co.
Southeast Paper Mfg. Company
Southwest Forest Industries

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.
** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing
P- Preliminary

In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., and the U.S. Bureau of Census.

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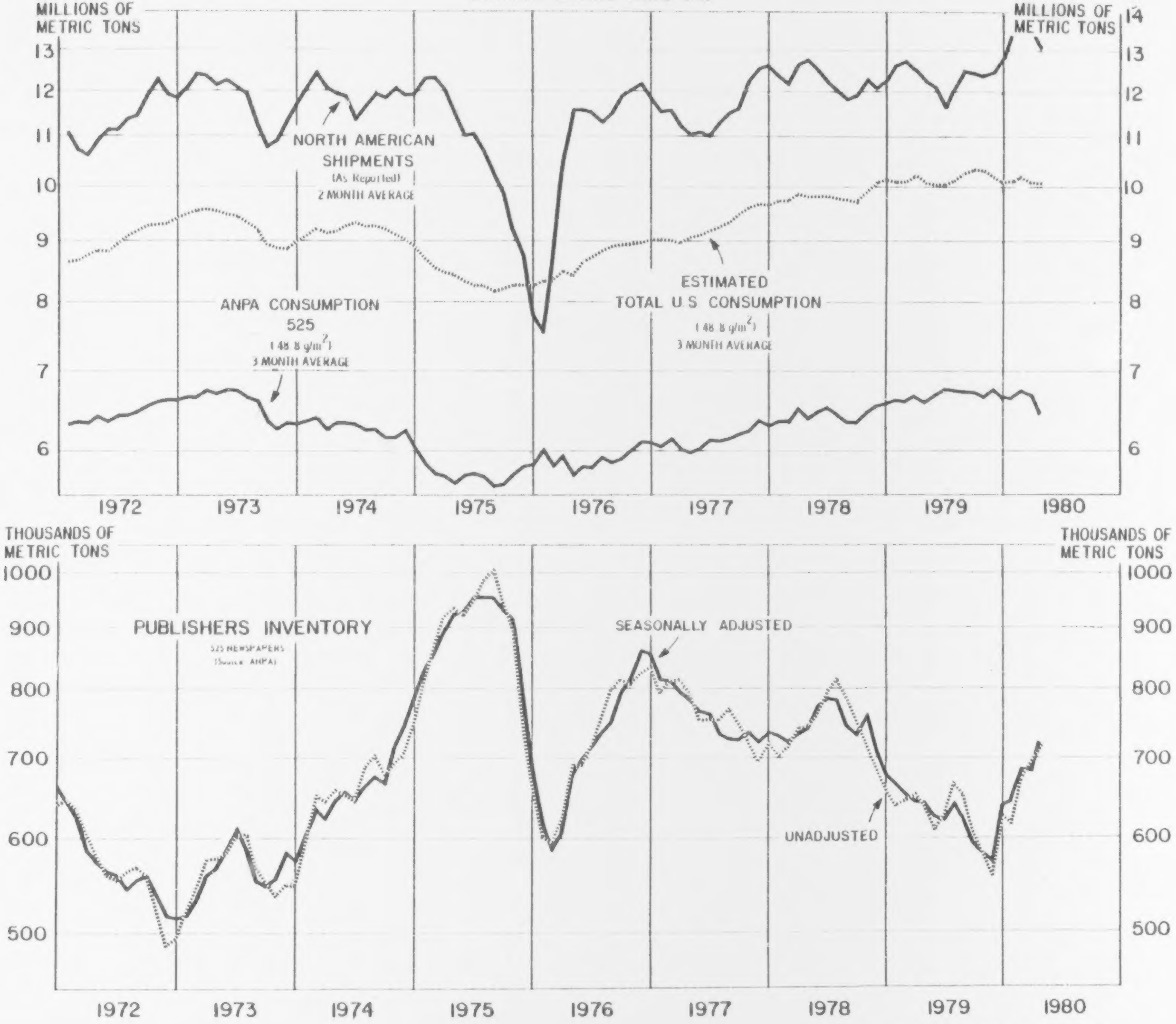
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE



NEWSPRINT DIVISION, AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

NORTH AMERICA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,024.1	1,039.5	1,117.7	+ 7.5	934.3	995.7	1,061.6	+ 6.6	376.5	248.5	234.1	- 5.8
FEBRUARY	974.8	964.3	1,071.4	+ 11.1	904.6	940.2	1,077.5	+ 14.6	446.7	272.6	228.0	- 16.4
MARCH	1,065.2	1,066.0	1,140.0	+ 6.9	1,164.3	1,080.9	1,128.6	+ 4.4	347.7	257.8	239.5	- 7.1
APRIL	1,055.9	1,015.1	1,105.4	+ 8.9	1,019.6	1,013.1	1,108.8	+ 9.4	384.0	259.9	236.2	- 9.1
MAY	1,067.0	1,036.3			1,118.2	1,055.5			332.8	234.6		
JUNE	1,036.2	1,025.5			1,081.0	1,037.8			288.0	222.4		
JULY	985.8	1,021.4			978.0	1,023.5			295.9	220.4		
AUGUST	993.2	1,059.7			988.7	1,069.9			300.4	210.2		
SEPTEMBER	977.4	1,001.8			985.7	974.5			292.1	237.5		
OCTOBER	1,072.0	1,099.4			1,089.3	1,116.0			274.9	220.9		
NOVEMBER	1,000.7	1,078.5			1,009.9	1,071.8			265.6	227.6		
DECEMBER	977.0	1,039.6			1,038.0	1,089.2			204.4	178.0		
4 MONTHS	4,120.0	4,084.9	4,434.5	+ 8.6	4,022.8	4,029.9	4,376.5	+ 8.6				
TOTAL YEAR	12,229.3	12,441.1			12,311.6	12,468.1						

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	763.2	802.5	850.6	+ 6.0	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	103.3	116.6	130.4	+ 11.8
FEBRUARY	734.9	783.6	858.8	+ 9.6	73.9	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	95.8	84.3	138.8	+ 64.7
MARCH	904.6	871.3	895.2	+ 2.7	86.9	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	172.8	132.6	148.7	+ 12.1
APRIL	829.6	798.8	884.0	+ 10.7	73.2	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	116.8	131.0	137.8	+ 5.2
MAY	894.5	824.1			79.9	88.3			143.8	143.1		
JUNE	848.5	828.2			76.3	84.6			156.2	125.0		
JULY	755.6	822.0			69.9	70.0			152.5	131.5		
AUGUST	794.0	852.3			64.8	80.0			129.9	137.6		
SEPTEMBER	774.9	774.6			72.4	79.4			138.4	120.5		
OCTOBER	867.2	885.0			86.3	89.0			135.8	142.0		
NOVEMBER	778.6	862.9			80.9	86.5			150.4	122.4		
DECEMBER	816.0	868.6			76.1	83.8			145.9	136.8		
4 MONTHS	3,232.3	3,256.2	3,488.6	+ 7.1	301.8	309.2	332.2	+ 7.4	488.7	464.5	555.7	+ 19.6
TOTAL YEAR	9,761.6	9,973.9			908.4	970.8			1,641.6	1,523.4		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	288.6	286.1	340.7	+ 19.1	280.7	286.0	334.4	+ 16.9	38.7	20.1	22.6	+ 12.4
FEBRUARY	278.9	279.7	333.5	+ 19.2	280.6	278.1	333.3	+ 19.8	37.0	21.7	22.8	+ 5.1
MARCH	316.1	315.5	357.6	+ 13.3	322.9	317.6	351.3	+ 10.6	30.2	19.6	29.2	+ 49.0
APRIL	299.2	289.2	339.2	+ 17.3	295.2	291.3	346.1	+ 18.8	34.2	17.5	22.3	+ 27.4
MAY	302.4	307.3			306.1	305.3			30.6	19.5		
JUNE	303.8	305.8			307.1	304.0			27.3	21.3		
JULY	225.4	301.0			222.7	303.6			30.1	18.8		
AUGUST	246.4	323.4			251.3	321.9			25.1	20.3		
SEPTEMBER	289.2	305.9			287.0	305.1			27.2	21.1		
OCTOBER	296.4	334.0			301.5	333.5			22.2	21.6		
NOVEMBER	290.9	329.7			291.7	327.5			21.3	23.8		
DECEMBER	280.5	307.2			281.8	314.7			20.0	16.3		
4 MONTHS	1,182.8	1,170.5	1,371.0	+ 17.1	1,179.4	1,173.0	1,365.1	+ 16.4				
TOTAL YEAR	3,417.8	3,684.8			3,428.6	3,688.6						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	277.2	275.9	323.5	+ 17.3	3.5	10.1	10.9	+ 7.9	0	7.0	8.4	+ 20.0
FEBRUARY	271.2	275.2	321.7	+ 16.9	9.4	2.9	11.6	+300.0	0	12.1	23.1	+ 90.9
MARCH	312.7	308.2	343.9	+ 11.6	10.2	9.4	7.4	- 21.3	0	2.3	8.5	+269.6
APRIL	288.0	286.1	328.0	+ 14.6	7.2	5.2	18.1	+248.1	0	9.4		
MAY	297.6	300.7			8.5	4.6			0	18.5		
JUNE	294.0	297.3			13.1	6.7			0	17.4		
JULY	219.2	299.3			3.5	4.3			0	16.6		
AUGUST	248.9	313.8			2.4	8.1			0	7.0		
SEPTEMBER	276.2	298.4			10.8	6.7			0	1.8		
OCTOBER	290.8	323.8			10.7	9.7			0	12.5		
NOVEMBER	283.6	318.1			8.1	9.4			0	15.7		
DECEMBER	273.7	305.4			8.1	9.3			0	11.6		
4 MONTHS	1,149.1	1,145.4	1,317.1	+ 15.0	30.3	27.6	48.0	+ 73.9	(3 mos.)	21.4	40.0	+ 86.9
TOTAL YEAR	3,333.1	3,602.2			95.5	86.4			0	131.9		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

CANADA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	735.5	753.4	777.0	+ 3.1	653.6	709.7	727.2	+ 2.5	337.8	228.4	211.5	- 7.4
FEBRUARY	695.9	684.6	737.9	+ 7.8	624.0	662.1	744.2	+ 12.4	409.7	250.9	205.2	- 18.2
MARCH	749.1	750.5	782.4	+ 4.3	841.4	763.3	777.3	+ 1.8	317.5	238.2	210.3	- 11.7
APRIL	756.7	725.9	766.2	+ 5.6	724.4	721.8	762.7	+ 5.7	349.8	242.4	213.9	- 11.8
MAY	764.6	723.0			812.1	750.2			302.2	215.1		
JUNE	732.4	719.7			773.9	733.8			260.7	201.1		
JULY	760.4	720.4			755.3	719.9			265.8	201.6		
AUGUST	746.8	736.3			737.4	748.0			275.3	189.9		
SEPTEMBER	688.2	695.9			698.7	669.4			264.9	216.4		
OCTOBER	775.6	765.4			787.8	782.5			252.7	199.3		
NOVEMBER	709.8	748.8			718.2	744.3			244.3	203.8		
DECEMBER	696.5	732.4			756.2	774.5			184.4	161.7		
4 MONTHS	2,937.2	2,914.4	3,063.5	+ 5.1	2,843.4	2,856.9	3,011.4	+ 5.4				
TOTAL YEAR	8,811.5	8,756.3			8,883.0	8,779.5						

DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	486.0	526.6	527.1	+ 0.1	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	99.8	106.5	119.5	+ 12.2
FEBRUARY	463.7	508.4	537.1	+ 5.6	73.9	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	86.4	81.4	127.2	+ 56.3
MARCH	591.9	563.1	551.3	- 2.1	86.9	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	162.6	123.2	141.3	+ 14.7
APRIL	541.6	512.7	556.0	+ 8.4	73.2	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	109.6	125.8	119.7	- 4.8
MAY	596.9	523.4			79.9	88.3			135.3	138.5		
JUNE	554.5	530.9			76.3	84.6			143.1	118.3		
JULY	536.4	522.7			69.9	70.0			149.0	127.2		
AUGUST	545.1	538.5			64.8	80.0			127.5	129.5		
SEPTEMBER	498.7	476.2			72.4	79.4			127.6	113.8		
OCTOBER	576.4	561.2			86.3	89.0			125.1	132.3		
NOVEMBER	495.0	544.8			80.9	86.5			142.3	113.0		
DECEMBER	542.3	563.2			76.1	83.8			137.8	127.5		
4 MONTHS	2,083.2	2,110.8	2,171.5	+ 2.9	301.8	309.2	332.2	+ 7.4	458.4	436.9	507.7	+ 16.2
TOTAL YEAR	6,428.5	6,371.7			908.4	970.8			1,546.1	1,437.0		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA (525) Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump.*		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	497.1	503.2	516.3	+ 2.6	760.0	777.0	789.0	+ 1.5	65.4	64.8	65.4
FEBRUARY	472.7	496.6	521.1	+ 4.9	725.0	769.0	793.0	+ 3.1	65.2	64.6	65.7
MARCH	543.9	570.3	578.2R	+ 1.4	824.0	875.0	879.0R	+ 0.5	66.0	65.2	65.8
APRIL	562.3	574.7	545.0P	- 5.2	865.0	885.0	855.0P	- 3.4	65.0	64.9	63.7P
MAY	572.1	586.9			868.0	886.0			65.9	66.2	
JUNE	531.5	545.1			797.0	814.0			66.7	67.0	
JULY	508.4	518.8			769.0	786.0			66.1	66.0	
AUGUST	505.9	540.0			779.0	827.0			64.9	65.3	
SEPTEMBER	513.6	559.5			789.0	862.0			65.1	64.9	
OCTOBER	565.7	597.5			869.0	924.0			65.1	64.7	
NOVEMBER	595.9	600.5			923.0	908.0			64.6	66.1	
DECEMBER	577.3	580.1			896.0	884.0			64.4	65.6R	
4 MONTHS	2,076.0	2,144.8	2,160.6	+ 0.7	3,174.0	3,306.0	3,316.0	+ 0.3			
TOTAL YEAR	6,446.4	6,673.2			9,864.0	10,197.0					

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

* - 5 month moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted-Annual Basis			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,344	6,616	6,664R	+ 0.7	9,700	10,210	10,190R	- 0.2	12,205	12,820	13,817	+ 7.8
FEBRUARY	6,324	6,596	6,721R	+ 1.9	9,700	10,210	10,230R	+ 0.2	12,283	12,792	14,040	+ 9.8
MARCH	6,448	6,683	6,685R	+ 0.03	9,770	10,250	10,160R	- 0.9	13,184	12,294	13,048	+ 6.1
APRIL	6,389	6,594	6,425P	- 2.5	9,830	10,160	10,090P	- 0.7	12,537	12,280	13,306	+ 8.4
MAY	6,511	6,680			9,880	10,090			12,535	11,950		
JUNE	6,603	6,760			9,900	10,090			12,011	11,563		
JULY	6,511	6,732			9,850	10,200			12,117	12,636		
AUGUST	6,380	6,719			9,830	10,290			11,661	12,526		
SEPTEMBER	6,334	6,717			9,730	10,350			12,336	12,506		
OCTOBER	6,458	6,664			9,920	10,300			12,403	12,457		
NOVEMBER	6,518	6,775			10,090	10,250			12,003	12,647		
DECEMBER	6,582	6,665			10,220	10,160			12,651	13,256		
4 Months Average Annual Rate	6,376	6,622	6,624	+ 0.03	9,750	10,207	10,167P	- 0.4				

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY - CONSUMERS' STOCKS ON HAND & IN TRANSIT*					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Pub.by ANPA (525)			U. S. Estimated Total		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	702.4	639.7	616.9	- 3.6	730.9	667.0	643.9	- 3.5	41	36	34	41	36	34
FEBRUARY	711.6	646.4	670.4	+ 3.7	721.7	657.6	683.4	+ 3.9	40	35	36	40	36	36
MARCH	742.5	650.5	684.8R	+ 5.3	735.6	646.6	682.1R	+ 5.5	40	34	37	41	35	37R
APRIL	742.2	642.5	719.8P	+ 12.0	741.4	643.8	722.0P	+ 12.1	41	34	39	41	33	39P
MAY	757.1	609.1			775.6	624.7			44	34		44	34	
JUNE	795.0	625.2			789.2	620.2			49	37		48	37	
JULY	815.1	668.1			786.3	644.9			49	38		47	37	
AUGUST	787.1	654.4			747.2	621.5			45	35		45	35	
SEPTEMBER	751.7	611.6			730.6	593.2			40	32		42	31	
OCTOBER	762.4	584.1			762.8	583.5			39	29		39	30	
NOVEMBER	690.1	556.5			711.5	572.5			38	30		37	31	
DECEMBER	660.0	627.6			674.7	640.4			40	38		38	34	

P - Preliminary. R- Revised

*The calculation of U.S. Consumers' days supply is based on consumption in subsequent months. For the most recent months a projected rate of consumption is used. Days supply for the ANPA group has been revised and is now based on consumption in the subsequent month.

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

	OPERATING RATES											
	United States				Canada				North America			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	96.0	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	96	96	100	+ 4.2	96.0	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3
FEBRUARY	97.9	92.7	97.1	+ 4.7	99	97	100	+ 3.1	98.7	95.7	99.1	+ 3.6
MARCH	97.2	96.5	96.9	+ 0.4	100	98	101	+ 3.1	99.2	97.6	99.7	+ 2.2
APRIL	97.2	96.2	96.4	+ 0.2	100	95	100	+ 5.3	99.2	95.3	98.9	+ 3.8
MAY	96.9	98.0			101	94			99.8	95.2		
JUNE	97.0	96.1			99	96			98.4	96.0		
JULY	85.0	91.3			98	92			94.7	91.8		
AUGUST	76.9	97.1			99	96			92.4	96.3		
SEPTEMBER	87.2	94.5			97	96			93.9	95.5		
OCTOBER	91.0	97.1			100	97			97.3	97.0		
NOVEMBER	93.2	96.4			97	100			95.9	98.9		
DECEMBER	85.0	89.1			97	101			93.2	97.2		
4 MONTHS	97.1	94.8	96.3	+ 1.6	99	97	100	+ 3.1	98.3	96.0	99.0	+ 3.1
TOTAL YEAR	92.1	97.6			98	97			96.6	96.6		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	429	253	176	495	269	658	95	625	3,000
1972	453	281	182	548	283	696	117	659	3,219
1973	432	279	172	575	321	748	161	630	3,318
1974*	425	230	160	562	315	730	158	670	3,250
1974	411	221	154	543	304	705	152	646	3,136
1975	463	254	193	551	299	701	142	632	3,235
1976	479	234	185	589	300	735	136	637	3,295
1977	502	216	187	582	303	743	151	706	3,390
1978	445	201	176	533	303	836	162	677	3,333
1979	467	206	194	611	307	859	182	776	3,602
Canada									
1971	1,969	1,660	358	589	103	24	187	686	5,576
1972	2,079	1,694	408	669	117	37	176	653	5,833
1973	2,122	1,746	434	789	128	55	196	749	6,219
1974*	2,237	1,920	456	807	159	73	192	723	6,567
1974	2,147	1,842	438	775	152	71	185	694	6,304
1975	1,711	1,480	315	570	93	62	145	603	4,979
1976	1,779	1,659	417	727	129	78	181	700	5,670
1977	1,873	1,607	387	739	111	74	204	756	5,751
1978	1,940	1,807	465	846	123	63	220	964	6,428
1979(1)									
North America									
1971	2,398	1,913	534	1,084	372	682	282	1,311	8,576
1972	2,532	1,975	590	1,217	400	733	293	1,312	9,052
1973	2,554	2,025	606	1,364	449	803	357	1,379	9,537
1974*	2,662	2,150	616	1,369	474	803	350	1,393	9,817
1974	2,558	2,063	592	1,318	456	776	337	1,340	9,440
1975	2,174	1,734	508	1,121	392	763	287	1,235	8,214
1976	2,258	1,893	602	1,316	429	813	317	1,337	8,965
1977	2,375	1,823	574	1,321	414	817	355	1,462	9,141
1978	2,385	2,008	641	1,379	426	899	382	1,641	9,761
1979(1)									

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association.

(1) - The 1979 revised shipments by destination for Canada and North America will appear in a later issue.

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA(1)			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA(1)		
		1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	120.9	121.6	+ 0.6	481.1			602.0		
	2 Q	120.7	117.9	- 2.3	487.1			607.8		
	3 Q	76.7	109.1	+ 42.2	485.2			561.9		
	4 Q	127.1	118.6	- 6.7	485.7			612.8		
	Year	445.4	467.2	+ 4.9	1,939.1			2,384.5		
East North Central	1 Q	53.4	52.9	- 0.9	423.9			477.3		
	2 Q	49.1	52.0	+ 5.9	463.8			512.9		
	3 Q	49.9	48.2	- 3.4	436.8			486.7		
	4 Q	48.0	53.0	+ 10.4	482.9			530.9		
	Year	200.4	206.1	+ 2.8	1,807.4			2,007.8		
West North Central	1 Q	44.8	49.3	+ 10.0	122.6			167.4		
	2 Q	43.1	47.3	+ 9.7	117.5			160.6		
	3 Q	43.4	50.2	+ 15.7	116.9			160.3		
	4 Q	44.8	47.5	+ 6.0	108.6			153.4		
	Year	176.1	194.3	+ 10.3	465.6			641.7		
South Atlantic	1 Q	133.7	131.5	- 1.6	207.0			340.7		
	2 Q	144.2	142.3	- 1.3	230.5			374.7		
	3 Q	125.8	166.2	+ 32.1	187.3			313.1		
	4 Q	128.4	171.1	+ 33.3	221.9			350.3		
	Year	532.1	611.1	+ 14.8	846.7			1,378.8		
East South Central	1 Q	76.8	71.0	- 7.6	36.9			113.7		
	2 Q	74.7	76.7	+ 2.7	37.8			112.5		
	3 Q	73.8	74.2	+ 0.5	23.9			97.7		
	4 Q	78.0	85.2	+ 9.2	24.4			102.4		
	Year	303.3	307.1	+ 1.3	123.0			426.3		
West South Central	1 Q	205.8	206.3	+ 0.2	18.2			224.0		
	2 Q	218.2	220.1	+ 0.9	10.7			228.9		
	3 Q	199.7	218.5	+ 9.4	17.5			217.2		
	4 Q	213.0	214.5	+ 0.7	15.8			228.8		
	Year	836.7	859.4	+ 2.7	62.2			898.9		
Mountain	1 Q	42.0	48.0	+ 14.3	46.3			88.3		
	2 Q	44.6	44.3	- 0.7	61.7			106.3		
	3 Q	35.3	41.5	+ 17.6	56.2			91.5		
	4 Q	40.8	47.8	+ 17.2	55.8			96.6		
	Year	162.7	181.6	+ 11.6	220.0			382.7		
Pacific	1 Q	183.7	178.7	- 2.7	205.6			389.3		
	2 Q	185.0	183.5	- 0.8	283.9			468.9		
	3 Q	139.7	203.6	+ 45.7	256.4			396.1		
	4 Q	168.0	209.6	+ 24.8	218.6			386.6		
	Year	676.4	775.4	+ 14.6	964.5			1,640.9		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	861.1	859.3	- 0.2	1,541.6			2,402.7		
	2 Q	879.6	884.1	+ 0.5	1,693.0			2,572.6		
	3 Q	744.3	911.5	+ 22.5	1,580.2			2,324.5		
	4 Q	848.1	947.3	+ 11.7	1,613.7			2,461.8		
	Year	3,333.1	3,602.2	+ 8.1	6,428.5			9,761.6		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

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NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of metric tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS TOTAL	SHIPMENTS TO UNITED STATES	SHIPMENTS TO CANADA	SHIPMENTS TO OTHER MARKETS	INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS	(525) NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF YEAR
United States								
1968	2,762	2,772	2,671	-	101	24	258	575
1969	3,050	3,051	2,945	-	106	24	266	634
1970	3,142	3,136	3,008	-	128	30	286	680
1971	3,153	3,146	3,000	-	146	37	288	639
1972	3,317	3,330	3,219	-	111	24	298	493
1973	3,391	3,395	3,318	-	77	21	346	547
1974*	3,348	3,347	3,250	-	97	23	-	780
1974	3,230	3,230	3,136	-	94	23	193	750
1975	3,348	3,347	3,235	-	112	19	30	666
1976	3,389	3,381	3,295	-	86	26	52	835
1977	3,512	3,507	3,390	-	117	31	0	722
1978	3,418	3,429	3,333	-	96	20	0	660
1979	3,685	3,689	3,602	-	87	16	132	628
Canada								
1968	7,286	7,345	5,540	612	1,193	184	-	
1969	7,945	7,930	5,822	643	1,465	200	-	
1970	7,808	7,795	5,575	650	1,570	214	-	
1971	7,670	7,586	5,576	654	1,356	301	-	
1972	8,001	8,075	5,833	709	1,533	228	-	
1973	8,292	8,345	6,219	779	1,347	175	-	
1974*	9,023	9,070	6,567	837	1,666	132	-	
1974	8,662	8,706	6,304	804	1,598	130	-	
1975	6,966	7,010	4,979	784	1,247	86	-	
1976	8,088	7,902	5,670	803	1,429	271	-	
1977	8,154	8,169	5,751	824	1,594	256	-	
1978	8,811	8,883	6,428	909	1,546	184	-	
1979	8,756	8,780	6,372	971	1,437	162	-	
North America								
1968	10,048	10,117	8,211	612	1,294	208	258	
1969	10,995	10,981	8,767	643	1,571	224	266	
1970	10,956	10,931	8,583	650	1,698	244	286	
1971	10,823	10,732	8,576	654	1,502	338	288	
1972	11,318	11,405	9,052	709	1,644	252	298	
1973	11,683	11,740	9,537	779	1,424	196	346	
1974*	12,371	12,417	9,817	837	1,763	155	-	
1974	11,892	11,936	9,440	804	1,692	153	193	
1975	10,314	10,357	8,214	784	1,359	105	30	
1976	11,477	11,283	8,965	803	1,515	297	52	
1977	11,666	11,676	9,141	824	1,711	287	0	
1978	12,229	12,312	9,761	909	1,642	204	0	
1979	12,441	12,469	9,974	971	1,524	178	132	

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION YEAR	U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION AS REPORTED	U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION 48.8 G/M^2	TONNAGE LOSS DUE TO NEWSPAPER STRIKES
1968	8,461	7,932	168
1969	8,940	8,381	52
1970	8,805	8,271	72
1971	8,923	8,390	94
1972	9,568	9,016	6
1973	9,792	9,249	15
1974	9,330	9,164	25
1975	8,395	8,321	6
1976	8,719	8,688	0
1977	9,279	9,279	5
1978	9,864	9,868	130
1979	10,197R	10,190R	
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UNITED STATES NEWSPAPER

CIRCULATION PER HOUSEHOLD

YEAR	U.S. HOUSEHOLDS (000's)	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) DAILY	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) SUNDAY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD DAILY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD SUNDAY
1960	52,799	58.9	47.7	1.12	0.90
1961	53,557	59.3	48.2	1.11	0.90
1962	54,764	59.9	48.9	1.09	0.89
1963	55,270	58.9	46.8	1.07	0.85
1964	56,149	60.4	48.4	1.08	0.86
1965	57,436	60.4	48.6	1.05	0.85
1966	58,406	61.4	49.3	1.05	0.84
1967	59,236	61.6	49.2	1.04	0.83
1968	60,813	62.0	49.5	1.02	0.81
1969	62,214	62.0	49.7	1.00	0.80
1970	63,401	62.1	49.2	0.98	0.78
1971	64,778	62.2	49.7	0.96	0.77
1972	66,676	62.5	50.0	0.94	0.75
1973	68,251	63.1	51.7	0.92	0.76
1974	69,859	61.9	51.7	0.89	0.74
1975	71,120	60.7	51.1	0.85	0.72
1976	72,867	61.0	51.6	0.84	0.71
1977	74,142	61.5	52.4	0.83	0.71
1978	76,030	62.0P	54.0P	0.82	0.71
1979	78,157P				

*Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

Source: Department of Commerce and Editor and Publisher.

FORECASTS OF U.S. ECONOMY

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1980				1981				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1980	1981
Merrill Lynch Economics May, 1980 Based on Pre 1st qtr. data (1444.2)	1,444.2	1,425.6	1,401.3	1,394.9	1,393.2	1,410.7	1,430.9	1,450.1	1,416.5	1,421.2
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 1.1	- 5.0	- 6.7	- 1.8	- 0.5	+ 5.1	+ 5.9	+ 5.5	- 1.0	+ 0.3
The Conference Board - March, 1980 Based on rev. (second) 4th qtr. data (1440.3)	1,442.1	1,427.5	1,407.3	1,397.1	1,399.1	1,405.8	1,420.1	1,432.2	1,418.5	1,414.3
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 0.5	- 4.0	- 5.5	- 2.9	+ 0.6	+ 1.9	+ 4.1	+ 3.5	- 0.9	- 0.3
Chase Econometric - March, 1980 Based on rev. (second) 4th qtr. data (1440.3)	1,440.0	1,418.4	1,397.0	1,398.6	1,410.7	1,422.3	1,432.7	1,440.0	1,413.5	1,427.4
% Change from next preceding quarter**	- 0.1	- 5.9	- 5.9	+ 0.5	+ 3.5	+ 3.3	+ 3.0	+ 3.2	- 1.3	+ 1.0
MacKay - Shields Economics - February, 1980 Based on rev. 4th qtr. data (1,440.7)	1,435.0	1,421.0	1,404.0	1,405.0	1,418.0	1,439.0	N.A.	N.A.	1,416.0	N.A.
% Change from next preceding quarter**	- 1.7	- 3.7	- 4.9	+ 0.3	+ 4.0	+ 5.8	-	-	- 1.1	-

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2
Annual GNP for - 1979 - 1,431.6

N. A. Not Available

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - May, 1980 Based on 1st. qtr. data (152.1)	152.1	146.8	141.4	139.4	138.7	142.3	147.1	151.5	144.9	144.9
% Change from next preceding quarter**	- 0.2	-13.3	-13.9	- 5.7	- 1.8	+10.6	+14.2	+12.5	- 4.7	- 0.0

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES-BY MEDIA-PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	Newspapers	Magazines	Business	Dir. Mail	Outdoor	Total Print	T.V.	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.8	5.6	3.4	15.1	1.2	55.1	18.1	6.8	20.0
1975	30.0	5.2	3.3	14.6	1.2	54.3	18.7	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.2	1.1	53.1	20.0	6.9	20.0
1977	29.4	5.7	3.2	13.6	1.1	53.0	20.1	6.9	20.0
1978	28.9	5.9	3.2	13.6	1.1	52.7	20.4	6.9	20.0
1979	29.3	5.9	3.2	13.3	1.1	52.8	20.4	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total Tons	Total % Change
1966	2,309	8,054	10,363	-
1967	2,580	8,431	11,011	+ 6.3
1968	2,881	8,759	11,640	+ 5.7
1969	3,061	8,777	11,838	+ 1.7
1970	3,205	8,931	12,136	+ 2.5
1971	3,304	9,290	12,594	+ 3.8
1972	3,351	9,344	12,695	+ 0.8
1973	3,465	9,378	12,843	+ 1.2
1974	3,528	9,502	13,030	+ 1.5
	REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN G/M^2 (3)			
1974	3,377	9,106	12,483	-
1975	3,582	Revised 9,222	12,804	+ 2.6
1975	3,582	8,974(4)	12,556	-
1976	3,641	9,000	12,641	+ 0.7
1977	3,691	8,983	12,674	+ 0.3
1978	3,710R	8,946	12,656R	- 0.1
1979	3,776R	9,100	12,876R	+ 1.7
1980	4,258R	9,200	13,458R	+ 4.5
1981	4,679R	9,500	14,179R	+ 5.4
1982	4,964R	10,084E	15,048R	+ 6.1
1983	4,980R	10,248E	15,228R	+ 1.2

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979, plus subsequent revisions reflecting changes announced since that time.

(2) Source: CPPA. E - Estimated.
NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the grams per square meter (g/m^2) of newsprint from 52 to 48.8. A given area of printing surface of 48.8 g/m^2 paper weighs less than the same area of 52 g/m^2 paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

(In metric tons)

Company	Mill	Date	Annual Capacity Newsprint	Annual Capacity Other	Annual Capacity Total
U.S. Mills					
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, VA	Early '80	159,000	-	159,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, LA	Mid '80	163,000	-	163,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, CA	Mid '81	34,000	-	34,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	2nd qtr. '81	190,000	-	190,000
Publishers	Newberg, OR	Early '81	190,000	-	190,000
St. Regis	Houston, TX	Mid '81	130,000*	-	130,000*
Canadian Mills					
1980					
Kruger**	Bromptonville, QUE	1980	70,000	-	70,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, BC	Late '80	50,000	-	50,000
1981					
Abitibi Price	Stephenville, NFLD	Beg. '81	135,000	-	135,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	Mid '81	190,000	-	190,000
1982					
British Columbia	Crofton, BC	Early '82	170,000	-	170,000
Consolidated - Bathurst	Belgo Div. Shawinigan, QUE	Jul. '82	40,000	-	40,000
Crown	Elk Falls, BC	Jan. '82	180,000	-	180,000
Donohue Normick	Amos, QUE	Mid '82	150,000	-	150,000
New Brunswick	Dalhousie, NB	Mid '82	100,000	-	100,000
Ontario	Thorold, ONT	1982	26,000	74,000(5)	100,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements.

** Net increase - speed up of machine at Bromptonville, less transfer of machine at Three Rivers to coated papers.

(5) Groundwood Specialties.

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NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT **

REPORT FOR MAY 1980

Reflecting the startup of new capacity during the last year, U.S. shipments of newsprint during the first 5 months of 1980 were 17% above the same period of the previous year. (Page 3)

Shipments of newsprint overseas from both U.S. and Canadian mills increased sharply. (Pages 3 & 4)

Publisher inventories continued to grow and were equal to 42 days of supply at the end of May.

(Thousands of Metric Tons)	MAY			5 MOS. YEAR TO DATE			Details On Page No. *
	1979	1980	% Change	1979	1980	% Change	
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS							
NORTH AMERICA							
Production	1,030	1,135	+ 10.2	5,115	5,570	+ 8.9	2
% of Capacity	95.2	98.2	+ 3.2	95.3	98.3	+ 3.1	6
Shipments	1,055	1,139	+ 7.9	5,085	5,515	+ 8.4	2
UNITED STATES							
Production	307	368	+ 20.0	1,478	1,740	+17.7	3
% of Capacity	98.0	96.7	- 1.3	95.4	96.4	+ 1.0	6
Shipments	305	365	+ 19.5	1,478	1,730	+17.0	3
CANADA							
Production	723	767	+ 6.0	3,637	3,830	+ 5.3	4
% of Capacity	94	99	+ 5.3	96	100	+ 4.2	6
Shipments	750	774	+ 3.1	3,607	3,785	+ 4.9	4
U.S. Consumption							
(525) ANPA Newspapers	587	567P	- 3.4	2,732	2,731	- 0.03	5
Estimated Total	986	962P	- 2.7	4,192	4,169	- 0.5	
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	609	750P	+ 23.1	▨	▨	▨	6
North American Mills – Stocks	235	233	- 0.7	▨	▨	▨	2

* Additional information proceeds as follows: Graph – 1; Shipments by Destination – 7 & 8; Historical Data – 9; Circulations – 9; Forecasts of U.S. Economy – 10; Capacity Information – 11.

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

Abitibi Southern Corporation
Bear Island Paper Company
Boise Cascade Corporation
Boise Southern Company
Bowater Incorporated

Crown Zellerbach Corporation
Field Enterprises, Inc.
Garden State Paper Company
Great Northern Paper Company
Inland Empire Paper Company
International Paper Company

North Pacific Paper Company
Publishers Paper Company
Southland Paper Division
of St.Regis Paper Co.
Southeast Paper Mfg. Company
Southwest Forest Industries

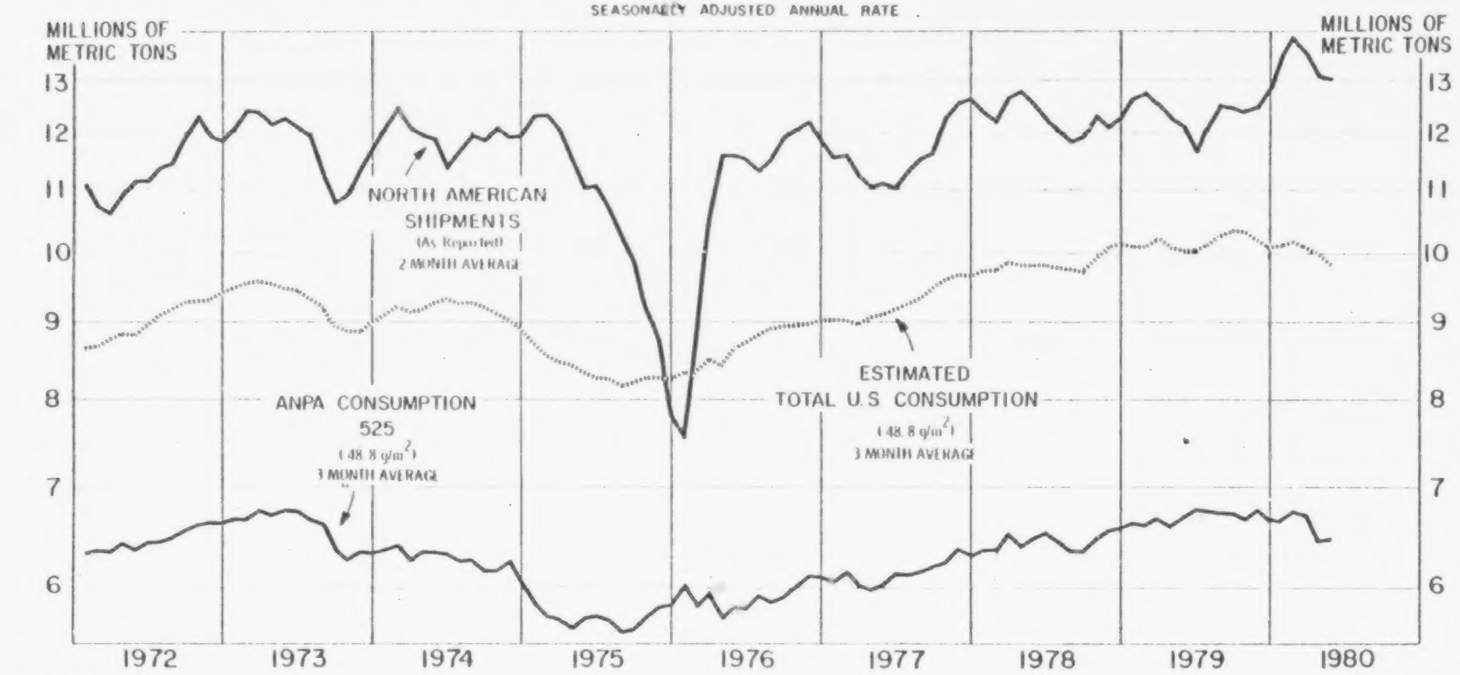
Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.
** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing
P- Preliminary

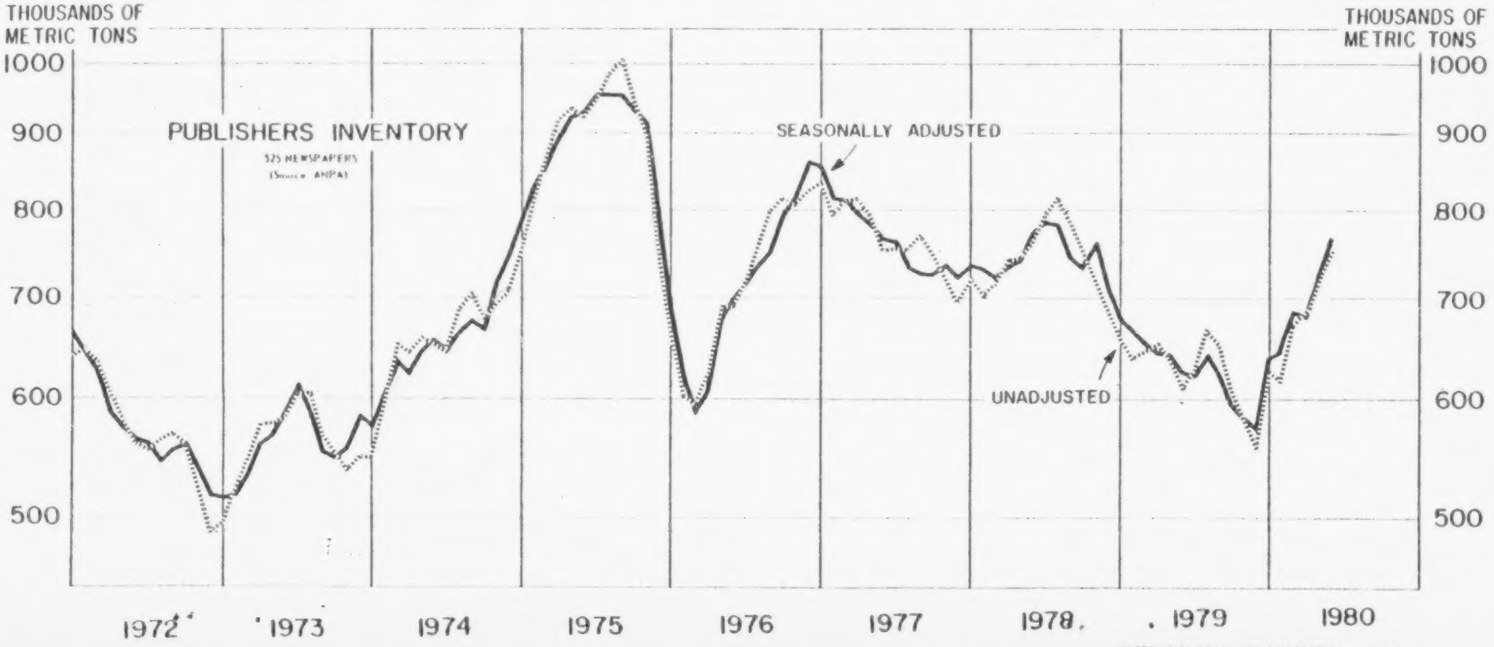
In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., and the U.S. Bureau of Census.

ISSUED June 30, 1980

TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE





NEWSPRINT DIVISION, AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	NORTH AMERICA											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,024.1	1,039.5	1,117.7	+ 7.5	934.3	995.7	1,061.6	+ 6.6	376.5	248.5	234.1	- 5.8
FEBRUARY	974.8	964.3	1,071.4	+ 11.1	904.6	940.2	1,077.5	+ 14.6	446.7	272.6	228.0	- 16.4
MARCH	1,065.2	1,066.0	1,140.0	+ 6.9	1,164.3	1,080.9	1,128.6	+ 4.4	347.7	257.8	239.5	- 7.1
APRIL	1,055.9	1,015.1	1,105.4	+ 8.9	1,019.6	1,013.1	1,108.8	+ 9.4	384.0	259.9	236.2	- 9.1
MAY	1,067.0	1,030.3	1,135.3	+ 10.2	1,118.2	1,055.5	1,138.5	+ 7.9	332.8	234.6	232.9	- 0.7
JUNE	1,036.2	1,025.5			1,081.0	1,037.8			288.0	222.4		
JULY	985.8	1,021.4			978.0	1,023.5			295.9	220.4		
AUGUST	993.2	1,059.7			988.7	1,069.9			300.4	210.2		
SEPTEMBER	977.4	1,001.8			985.7	974.5			292.1	237.5		
OCTOBER	1,072.0	1,099.4			1,089.3	1,116.0			274.9	220.9		
NOVEMBER	1,000.7	1,078.5			1,009.9	1,071.8			265.6	227.6		
DECEMBER	977.0	1,039.6			1,038.0	1,089.2			204.4	178.0		
5 MONTHS	5,187.0	5,115.2	5,569.8	+ 8.9	5,141.0	5,085.4	5,515.0	+ 8.4				
TOTAL YEAR	12,229.3	12,441.1			12,311.6	12,468.1						

	DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS											
	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	763.2	802.5	850.6	+ 6.0	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	103.3	116.6	130.4	+ 11.8
FEBRUARY	734.9	783.6	858.8	+ 9.6	73.9	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	95.8	84.3	138.8	+ 64.7
MARCH	904.6	871.3	895.2	+ 2.7	86.9	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	172.8	132.6	148.7	+ 12.1
APRIL	829.6	798.8	884.0	+ 10.7	73.2	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	116.8	131.0	137.8	+ 5.2
MAY	894.5	824.1	885.9	+ 7.5	79.9	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	143.8	143.1	166.1	+ 16.1
JUNE	848.5	828.2			76.3	84.6			156.2	125.0		
JULY	755.6	822.0			69.9	70.0			152.5	131.5		
AUGUST	794.0	852.3			64.8	80.0			129.9	137.6		
SEPTEMBER	774.9	774.6			72.4	79.4			138.4	120.5		
OCTOBER	867.2	885.0			86.3	89.0			135.8	142.0		
NOVEMBER	778.6	862.9			80.9	86.5			150.4	122.4		
DECEMBER	816.0	868.6			76.1	81.8			145.9	136.8		
5 MONTHS	4,126.8	4,080.3	4,374.5	+ 7.2	381.7	397.5	418.7	+ 5.3	632.5	607.6	721.8	+ 18.8
TOTAL YEAR	9,761.6	9,973.9			908.4	970.8			1,641.6	1,523.4		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	288.6	286.1	340.7	+ 19.1	280.7	286.0	334.4	+ 16.9	38.7	20.1	22.6	+ 12.4
FEBRUARY	278.9	279.7	333.5	+ 19.2	280.6	278.1	333.3	+ 19.8	37.0	21.7	22.8	+ 5.1
MARCH	316.1	315.5	357.6	+ 13.3	322.9	317.6	351.3	+ 10.6	30.2	19.6	29.2	+ 49.0
APRIL	299.2	289.2	339.2	+ 17.3	295.2	291.3	346.1	+ 18.8	34.2	17.5	22.3	+ 27.4
MAY	302.4	307.3	368.7	+ 20.0	306.1	305.3	364.9	+ 19.5	30.6	19.5	26.1	+ 33.8
JUNE	303.8	305.8			307.1	304.0			27.3	21.3		
JULY	225.4	301.0			222.7	303.6			30.1	18.8		
AUGUST	246.4	323.4			251.3	321.9			25.1	20.3		
SEPTEMBER	289.2	305.9			287.0	305.1			27.2	21.1		
OCTOBER	296.4	334.0			301.5	333.5			22.2	21.6		
NOVEMBER	290.9	329.7			291.7	327.5			21.3	23.8		
DECEMBER	280.5	307.2			281.8	314.7			20.0	16.3		
5 MONTHS	1,485.2	1,477.8	1,739.7	+ 17.7	1,485.5	1,478.3	1,730.0	+ 17.0				
TOTAL YEAR	3,417.8	3,684.8			3,428.6	3,688.6						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	277.2	275.9	323.5	+ 17.3	3.5	10.1	10.9	+ 7.9	0	7.0	8.4	+ 20.0
FEBRUARY	271.2	275.2	321.7	+ 16.9	9.4	2.9	11.6	+300.0	0	12.1	23.1	+ 90.9
MARCH	312.7	308.2	343.9	+ 11.6	10.2	9.4	7.4	- 21.3	0	2.3	8.5	+269.6
APRIL	288.0	286.1	328.0	+ 14.6	7.2	5.2	18.1	+248.1	0	9.4	2.5	- 73.4
MAY	297.6	300.7	353.6	+ 17.6	8.5	4.6	11.3	+145.7	0	18.5		
JUNE	294.0	297.3			13.1	6.7			0	17.4		
JULY	219.2	299.3			3.5	4.3			0	16.6		
AUGUST	248.9	313.8			2.4	8.1			0	7.0		
SEPTEMBER	276.2	298.4			10.8	6.7			0	1.8		
OCTOBER	290.8	323.8			10.7	9.7			0	12.5		
NOVEMBER	283.6	318.1			8.1	9.4			0	15.7		
DECEMBER	273.7	305.4			8.1	9.3			0	11.6		
5 MONTHS	1,446.7	1,446.1	1,670.7	+ 15.5	38.8	32.2	59.3	+ 84.2	(4 mos.)	30.8	42.5	+ 38.0
TOTAL YEAR	3,333.1	3,602.2			95.5	86.4			0	131.9		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	CANADA											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	735.5	753.4	777.0	+ 3.1	653.6	709.7	727.2	+ 2.5	337.8	228.4	211.5	- 7.4
FEBRUARY	695.9	684.6	737.9	+ 7.8	624.0	662.1	744.2	+ 12.4	409.7	250.9	205.2	- 18.2
MARCH	749.1	750.5	782.4	+ 4.3	841.4	763.3	777.3	+ 1.8	317.5	238.2	210.3	- 11.7
APRIL	756.7	725.9	766.2	+ 5.6	724.4	721.8	762.7	+ 5.7	349.8	242.4	213.9	- 11.8
MAY	764.6	723.0	766.6	+ 6.0	812.1	750.2	773.6	+ 3.1	302.2	215.1	206.8	- 3.9
JUNE	732.4	719.7			773.9	733.8			260.7	201.1		
JULY	760.4	720.4			755.3	719.9			265.8	201.6		
AUGUST	746.8	736.3			737.4	748.0			275.3	189.9		
SEPTEMBER	688.2	695.9			698.7	669.4			264.9	216.4		
OCTOBER	775.6	765.4			787.8	782.5			252.7	199.3		
NOVEMBER	709.8	748.8			718.2	744.3			244.3	203.8		
DECEMBER	696.5	732.4			756.2	774.5			184.4	161.7		
5 MONTHS	3,701.8	3,637.4	3,830.1	+ 5.3	3,655.5	3,607.1	3,785.0	+ 4.9				
TOTAL YEAR	8,811.5	8,756.3			8,883.0	8,779.5						

	DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS											
	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	486.0	526.6	527.1	+ 0.1	67.8	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	99.8	106.5	119.5	+ 12.2
FEBRUARY	463.7	508.4	537.1	+ 5.6	73.9	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	86.4	81.4	127.2	+ 56.3
MARCH	591.9	563.1	551.3	- 2.1	86.9	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	162.6	123.2	141.3	+ 14.7
APRIL	541.6	512.7	556.0	+ 8.4	73.2	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	109.6	125.8	119.7	- 4.8
MAY	596.9	523.4	532.3	+ 1.7	79.9	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	135.3	138.5	154.8	+ 11.8
JUNE	554.5	530.9			76.3	84.6			143.1	118.3		
JULY	536.4	522.7			69.9	70.0			149.0	127.2		
AUGUST	545.1	538.5			64.8	80.0			127.5	129.5		
SEPTEMBER	498.7	476.2			72.4	79.4			127.6	113.8		
OCTOBER	576.4	561.2			86.3	89.0			125.1	132.3		
NOVEMBER	495.0	544.8			80.9	86.5			142.3	113.0		
DECEMBER	542.3	563.2			76.1	83.8			137.8	127.5		
5 MONTHS	2,680.1	2,634.2	2,703.8	+ 2.6	381.7	397.5	418.7	+ 5.3	593.7	575.4	662.5	+ 15.1
TOTAL YEAR	6,428.5	6,371.7			908.4	970.8			1,546.1	1,437.0		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA (525) Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump.*		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	497.1	503.2	516.3	+ 2.6	760.0	777.0	789.0	+ 1.5	65.4	64.8	65.4
FEBRUARY	472.7	496.6	521.1	+ 4.9	725.0	769.0	793.0	+ 3.1	65.2	64.6	65.7
MARCH	543.9	570.3	581.6R	+ 2.0	824.0	875.0	880.0R	+ 0.6	66.0	65.2	66.1R
APRIL	562.3	574.7	544.8R	- 5.2	865.0	885.0	845.0R	- 4.5	65.0	64.9	64.5R
MAY	572.1	586.9	567.0P	- 3.4	868.0	886.0	862.0P	- 2.7	65.9	66.2	65.8P
JUNE	531.5	545.1			797.0	814.0			66.7	67.0	
JULY	508.4	518.8			769.0	786.0			66.1	66.0	
AUGUST	505.9	540.0			779.0	827.0			64.9	65.3	
SEPTEMBER	513.6	559.5			789.0	862.0			65.1	64.9	
OCTOBER	565.7	597.5			869.0	924.0			65.1	64.7	
NOVEMBER	595.9	600.5			923.0	908.0			64.6	66.1	
DECEMBER	577.3	580.1			896.0	884.0			64.4	65.6R	
5 MONTHS	2,648.1	2,731.7	2,730.8(P)	- 0.03	4,042.0	4,192.0	4,169.0(P)	- 0.5			
TOTAL YEAR	6,446.4	6,673.2			9,864.0	10,197.0					

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

* - 5 month moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted-Annual Basis			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,344	6,616	6,664	+ 0.7	9,700	10,210	10,190	- 0.2	12,205	12,820	13,817	+ 7.8
FEBRUARY	6,324	6,596	6,721	+ 1.9	9,700	10,210	10,230	+ 0.2	12,283	12,792	14,040	+ 9.8
MARCH	6,448	6,683	6,696R	+ 0.2	9,770	10,250	10,130R	- 1.2	13,184	12,294	13,048	+ 6.1
APRIL	6,389	6,594	6,431R	- 2.5	9,830	10,160	9,970R	- 1.9	12,537	12,280	13,306	+ 8.4
MAY	6,511	6,680	6,468P	- 3.2	9,880	10,090	9,830P	- 2.6	12,535	11,950	12,864	+ 7.6
JUNE	6,603	6,760			9,900	10,090			12,011	11,563		
JULY	6,511	6,732			9,850	10,200			12,117	12,636		
AUGUST	6,380	6,719			9,830	10,290			11,661	12,526		
SEPTEMBER	6,334	6,717			9,730	10,350			12,336	12,506		
OCTOBER	6,458	6,664			9,920	10,300			12,403	12,457		
NOVEMBER	6,518	6,775			10,090	10,250			12,003	12,647		
DECEMBER	6,582	6,665			10,220	10,160			12,651	13,256		
5 Months Average Annual Rate	6,403	6,634	6,596(P)	- 0.6	9,776	10,184	10,070P	- 1.1				

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY - CONSUMERS' STOCKS ON HAND & IN TRANSIT*					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Pub.by ANPA (525)			U. S. Estimated Total		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	702.4	639.7	616.9	- 3.6	730.9	667.0	643.9	- 3.5	41	36	34	41	36	34
FEBRUARY	711.6	646.4	670.4	+ 3.7	721.7	657.6	683.4	+ 3.9	40	35	36	40	36	36
MARCH	742.5	650.5	683.0R	+ 5.0	735.6	646.6	680.3R	+ 5.2	40	34	37	41	35	38R
APRIL	742.2	642.5	724.0R	+ 12.7	741.4	643.8	726.2R	+ 12.8	41	34	40R	41	33	40P
MAY	757.1	609.1	750.0P	+ 23.1	775.6	624.7	769.2P	+ 23.1	44	34	42P	44	34	44P
JUNE	795.0	625.2			789.2	620.2			49	37		48	37	
JULY	815.1	668.1			786.3	644.9			49	38		47	37	
AUGUST	787.1	654.4			747.2	621.5			45	35		45	35	
SEPTEMBER	751.7	611.6			730.6	593.2			40	32		42	31	
OCTOBER	762.4	584.1			762.8	583.5			39	29		39	30	
NOVEMBER	690.1	556.5			711.5	572.5			38	30		37	31	
DECEMBER	660.0	627.6			674.7	640.4			40	38		38	34	

P - Preliminary. R- Revised

*The calculation of U.S. Consumers' days supply is based on consumption in subsequent months, For the most recent months a projected rate of consumption is used. Days supply for the ANPA group has been revised and is now based on consumption in the subsequent month.

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

	OPERATING RATES											
	United States				Canada				North America			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	96.0	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	96	96	100	+ 4.2	96.0	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3
FEBRUARY	97.9	92.7	97.1	+ 4.7	99	97	100	+ 3.1	98.7	95.7	99.1	+ 3.6
MARCH	97.2	96.5	96.9	+ 0.4	100	98	101	+ 3.1	99.2	97.6	99.7	+ 2.2
APRIL	97.2	96.2	96.4	+ 0.2	100	95	100	+ 5.3	99.2	95.3	98.9	+ 3.8
MAY	96.9	98.0	96.7	- 1.3	101	94	99	+ 5.3	99.8	95.2	98.2	+ 3.2
JUNE	97.0	96.1			99	96			98.4	96.0		
JULY	85.0	91.3			98	92			94.7	91.8		
AUGUST	76.9	97.1			99	96			97.4	96.3		
SEPTEMBER	87.2	94.5			97	96			93.9	95.5		
OCTOBER	91.0	97.1			100	97			97.3	97.0		
NOVEMBER	93.2	96.4			97	100			95.9	98.9		
DECEMBER	85.0	89.1			97	101			93.2	97.2		
5 MONTHS	97.0	95.4	96.4	+ 1.0	99	96	100	+ 4.2	98.6	95.8	98.8	+ 3.1
TOTAL YEAR	92.1	97.6			98	97			96.6	96.6		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	429	253	176	495	269	658	95	625	3,000
1972	453	281	182	548	283	696	117	659	3,219
1973	432	279	172	575	321	748	161	630	3,318
1974*	425	230	160	562	315	730	158	670	3,250
1974	411	221	154	543	304	705	152	646	3,136
1975	463	254	193	551	299	701	142	632	3,235
1976	479	234	185	589	300	735	136	637	3,295
1977	502	216	187	582	303	743	151	706	3,390
1978	445	201	176	533	303	836	162	677	3,333
1979	467	206	194	611	307	859	182	776	3,602
Canada									
1971	1,969	1,660	358	589	103	24	187	686	5,576
1972	2,079	1,694	408	669	117	37	176	653	5,833
1973	2,122	1,746	434	789	128	55	196	749	6,219
1974*	2,237	1,920	456	807	159	73	192	723	6,567
1974	2,147	1,842	438	775	152	71	185	694	6,304
1975	1,711	1,480	315	570	93	62	145	603	4,979
1976	1,779	1,659	417	727	129	78	181	700	5,670
1977	1,873	1,607	387	739	111	74	204	756	5,751
1978	1,940	1,807	465	846	123	63	220	964	6,428
1979(1)									
North America									
1971	2,398	1,913	534	1,084	372	682	282	1,311	8,576
1972	2,532	1,975	590	1,217	400	733	293	1,312	9,052
1973	2,554	2,025	606	1,364	449	803	357	1,379	9,537
1974*	2,662	2,150	616	1,369	474	803	350	1,393	9,817
1974	2,558	2,063	592	1,318	456	776	337	1,340	9,440
1975	2,174	1,734	508	1,121	392	763	287	1,235	8,214
1976	2,258	1,893	602	1,316	429	813	317	1,337	8,965
1977	2,375	1,823	574	1,321	414	817	355	1,462	9,141
1978	2,385	2,008	641	1,379	426	899	382	1,641	9,761
1979(1)									

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association.

(1) - The 1979 revised shipments by destination for Canada and North America will appear in a later issue.

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA(1)			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA(1)		
		1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.	1978	1979	%Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	120.9	121.6	+ 0.6	481.1			602.0		
	2 Q	120.7	117.9	- 2.3	487.1			607.8		
	3 Q	76.7	109.1	+ 42.2	485.2			561.9		
	4 Q	127.1	118.6	- 6.7	485.7			612.8		
	Year	445.4	467.2	+ 4.9	1,939.1			2,384.5		
East North Central	1 Q	53.4	52.9	- 0.9	423.9			477.3		
	2 Q	49.1	52.0	+ 5.9	463.8			512.9		
	3 Q	49.9	48.2	- 3.4	436.8			486.7		
	4 Q	48.0	53.0	+ 10.4	482.9			530.9		
	Year	200.4	206.1	+ 2.8	1,807.4			2,007.8		
West North Central	1 Q	44.8	49.3	+ 10.0	122.6			167.4		
	2 Q	43.1	47.3	+ 9.7	117.5			160.6		
	3 Q	43.4	50.2	+ 15.7	116.9			160.3		
	4 Q	44.8	47.5	+ 6.0	108.6			153.4		
	Year	176.1	194.3	+ 10.3	465.6			641.7		
South Atlantic	1 Q	133.7	131.5	- 1.6	207.0			340.7		
	2 Q	144.2	142.3	- 1.3	230.5			374.7		
	3 Q	125.8	166.2	+ 32.1	187.3			313.1		
	4 Q	128.4	171.1	+ 33.3	221.9			350.3		
	Year	532.1	611.1	+ 14.8	846.7			1,378.8		
East South Central	1 Q	76.8	71.0	- 7.6	36.9			113.7		
	2 Q	74.7	76.7	+ 2.7	37.8			112.5		
	3 Q	73.8	74.2	+ 0.5	23.9			97.7		
	4 Q	78.0	85.2	+ 9.2	24.4			102.4		
	Year	303.3	307.1	+ 1.3	123.0			426.3		
West South Central	1 Q	205.8	206.3	+ 0.2	18.2			224.0		
	2 Q	218.2	220.1	+ 0.9	10.7			228.9		
	3 Q	199.7	218.5	+ 9.4	17.5			217.2		
	4 Q	213.0	214.5	+ 0.7	15.8			228.8		
	Year	836.7	859.4	+ 2.7	62.2			898.9		
Mountain	1 Q	42.0	48.0	+ 14.3	46.3			88.3		
	2 Q	44.6	44.3	- 0.7	61.7			106.3		
	3 Q	35.3	41.5	+ 17.6	56.2			91.5		
	4 Q	40.8	47.8	+ 17.2	55.8			96.6		
	Year	162.7	181.6	+ 11.6	220.0			382.7		
Pacific	1 Q	183.7	178.7	- 2.7	205.6			389.3		
	2 Q	185.0	183.5	- 0.8	283.9			468.9		
	3 Q	139.7	203.6	+ 45.7	256.4			396.1		
	4 Q	168.0	209.6	+ 24.8	218.6			386.6		
	Year	676.4	775.4	+ 14.6	964.5			1,640.9		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	861.1	859.3	- 0.2	1,541.6			2,402.7		
	2 Q	879.6	884.1	+ 0.5	1,693.0			2,572.6		
	3 Q	744.3	911.5	+ 22.5	1,580.2			2,324.5		
	4 Q	848.1	947.3	+ 11.7	1,613.7			2,461.8		
	Year	3,333.1	3,602.2	+ 8.1	6,428.5			9,761.6		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

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NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of metric tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS TOTAL	SHIPMENTS TO UNITED STATES	SHIPMENTS TO CANADA	SHIPMENTS TO OTHER MARKETS	INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS	(525) NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF YEAR
United States								
1968	2,762	2,772	2,671	-	101	24	258	575
1969	3,050	3,051	2,945	-	106	24	266	634
1970	3,142	3,136	3,008	-	128	30	286	680
1971	3,153	3,146	3,000	-	146	37	288	639
1972	3,317	3,330	3,219	-	111	24	298	493
1973	3,391	3,395	3,318	-	77	21	346	547
1974*	3,348	3,347	3,250	-	97	23	-	780
1974	3,230	3,230	3,136	-	94	23	193	750
1975	3,348	3,347	3,235	-	112	19	30	666
1976	3,389	3,381	3,295	-	86	26	52	835
1977	3,512	3,507	3,390	-	117	31	0	722
1978	3,418	3,429	3,333	-	96	20	0	660
1979	3,685	3,689	3,602	-	87	16	132	628
Canada								
1968	7,286	7,345	5,540	612	1,193	184	-	
1969	7,945	7,930	5,822	643	1,465	200	-	
1970	7,808	7,795	5,575	650	1,570	214	-	
1971	7,670	7,586	5,576	654	1,356	301	-	
1972	8,001	8,075	5,833	709	1,533	228	-	
1973	8,292	8,345	6,219	779	1,347	175	-	
1974*	9,023	9,070	6,567	837	1,666	132	-	
1974	8,662	8,706	6,304	804	1,598	130	-	
1975	6,966	7,010	4,979	784	1,247	86	-	
1976	8,088	7,902	5,670	803	1,429	271	-	
1977	8,154	8,169	5,751	824	1,594	256	-	
1978	8,811	8,883	6,428	909	1,546	184	-	
1979	8,756	8,780	6,372	971	1,437	162	-	
North America								
1968	10,048	10,117	8,211	612	1,294	208	258	
1969	10,995	10,981	8,767	643	1,571	224	266	
1970	10,950	10,931	8,583	650	1,698	244	286	
1971	10,823	10,732	8,576	654	1,502	338	288	
1972	11,318	11,405	9,052	709	1,644	252	298	
1973	11,683	11,740	9,537	779	1,424	196	346	
1974*	12,371	12,417	9,817	837	1,763	155	-	
1974	11,892	11,936	9,440	804	1,692	153	193	
1975	10,314	10,357	8,214	784	1,359	105	30	
1976	11,477	11,283	8,965	803	1,515	297	52	
1977	11,666	11,676	9,141	824	1,711	287	0	
1978	12,229	12,312	9,761	909	1,642	204	0	
1979	12,441	12,469	9,974	971	1,524	178	132	

*Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION YEAR	AS REPORTED	^{2} 48.8 G/M	TONNAGE LOSS DUE TO NEWSPAPER STRIKES
1968	8,461	7,932	168
1969	8,940	8,381	52
1970	8,805	8,271	72
1971	8,923	8,390	94
1972	9,568	9,016	6
1973	9,792	9,249	15
1974	9,330	9,164	25
1975	8,395	8,321	6
1976	8,719	8,688	0
1977	9,279	9,279	5
1978	9,864	9,868	130
1979	10,197R	10,190R	

UNITED STATES
NEWSPAPER

CIRCULATION PER HOUSEHOLD

YEAR	U.S. HOUSEHOLDS (000's)	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) DAILY	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) SUNDAY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD DAILY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD SUNDAY
1960	52,799	58.9	47.7	1.12	0.90
1961	53,557	59.3	48.2	1.11	0.90
1962	54,764	59.9	48.9	1.09	0.89
1963	55,270	58.9	46.8	1.07	0.85
1964	56,149	60.4	48.4	1.08	0.86
1965	57,436	60.4	48.6	1.05	0.85
1966	58,406	61.4	49.3	1.05	0.84
1967	59,236	61.6	49.2	1.04	0.83
1968	60,813	62.0	49.5	1.02	0.81
1969	62,214	62.0	49.7	1.00	0.80
1970	63,401	62.1	49.2	0.98	0.78
1971	64,778	62.2	49.7	0.96	0.77
1972	66,676	62.5	50.0	0.94	0.75
1973	68,251	63.1	51.7	0.92	0.76
1974	69,859	61.9	51.7	0.89	0.74
1975	71,120	60.7	51.1	0.85	0.72
1976	72,867	61.0	51.6	0.84	0.71
1977	74,142	61.5	52.4	0.83	0.71
1978	76,030	62.0P	54.0P	0.82	0.71
1979	78,157P				

P - Preliminary. R - Revised
Source: Department of Commerce and Editor and Publisher.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1980				1981				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1980	1981
Merrill Lynch Economics - June, 1980 Based on Rev. 1st qtr. data (1,442.6)	1,442.6	1,413.6	1,394.7	1,388.9	1,386.3	1,410.3	1,433.1	1,451.8	1,410.0	1,420.4
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 0.6	- 7.8	- 5.2	- 1.7	- 0.8	+ 7.1	+ 6.6	+ 5.3	- 1.5	+ 0.7
The Conference Board - April, 1980 Based on Pre. 1st qtr. data (1,444.2)	1,444.2	1,412.6	1,394.7	1,385.8	1,391.2	1,416.8	1,430.6	1,444.9	1,409.3	1,420.9
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 1.1	- 8.5	- 5.0	- 2.5	+ 1.6	+ 7.6	+ 4.0	+ 4.1	- 1.6	+ 0.8
Chase Econometric - April, 1980 Based on Pre. 1st qtr. data (1,444.2)	1,444.2	1,423.0	1,402.3	1,398.9	1,404.8	1,416.9	1,426.1	1,435.6	1,417.1	1,419.8
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 1.1	- 5.7	- 5.7	- 1.0	+ 1.7	+ 2.9	+ 2.6	+ 3.3	- 1.0	+ 0.2
Copeland Economics - June, 1980 Based on Rev. 1st qtr. data (1,442.6)	1,442.6	1,410.0	1,396.0	1,391.0	1,393.0	1,407.0	1,431.0	1,457.0	1,410.0	1,422.0
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 0.6	- 8.8	- 3.9	- 1.4	+ 0.6	+ 4.1	+ 7.0	+ 7.5	- 1.5	+ 0.9

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2
Annual GNP for - 1979 - 1,431.6

Revised (second) 1st qtr. data is 1,444.7

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - June, 1980 Based on 1st qtr. data (152.1)	152.1	146.0	141.1	139.3	138.1	143.2	148.5	152.9	144.6	145.7
% Change from next preceding quarter**	- 0.3	- 15.0	- 12.7	- 5.2	- 3.4	+ 15.6	+ 15.8	+ 12.3	- 4.9	+ 0.7

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES-BY MEDIA-PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T.V.	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.8	5.6	3.4	15.1	1.2	55.1	18.1	6.8	20.0
1975	30.0	5.2	3.3	14.6	1.2	54.3	18.7	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.2	1.1	53.1	20.0	6.9	20.0
1977	29.4	5.7	3.2	13.6	1.1	53.0	20.1	6.9	20.0
1978	28.9	5.9	3.2	13.6	1.1	52.7	20.4	6.9	20.0
1979	29.3	5.9	3.2	13.3	1.1	52.8	20.4	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			Tons	% Change
1966	2,309	8,054	10,363	-
1967	2,580	8,431	11 011	+ 6.3
1968	2,881	8,759	11,640	+ 5.7
1969	3,061	8,777	11,838	+ 1.7
1970	3,205	8,931	12,136	+ 2.5
1971	3,304	9,290	12,594	+ 3.8
1972	3,351	9,344	12,695	+ 0.8
1973	3,465	9,378	12,843	+ 1.2
1974	3,528	9,502	13,030	+ 1.5
	REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN G/M^2 (3)			
1974	3,377	9,106	12,483	-
1975	3,582	Revised 9,222	12,804	+ 2.6
1975	3,582	8,974(4)	12,556	-
1976	3,641	9,000	12,641	+ 0.7
1977	3,691	8,983	12,674	+ 0.3
1978	3,710R	8,946	12,656R	- 0.1
1979	3,776R	9,060R	12,836R	+ 1.4
1980	4,258R	9,160R	13,418R	+ 4.5
1981	4,679R	9,450P	14,129P	+ 5.3
1982	4,964R	10,000P	14,964P	+ 5.9
1983	4,980R	10,200P	15,180P	+ 1.4

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979, plus subsequent revisions reflecting changes announced since that time.

(2) Source: CPPA. P - Preliminary
NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the grams per square meter (g/m^2) of newsprint from 52 to 48.8. A given area of printing surface of 48.8 g/m^2 paper weighs less than the same area of 52 g/m^2 paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

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ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

(In metric tons)

Company	Mill	Date	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, VA	Early '80	159,000	-	159,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, LA	April '80	163,000	-	163,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, CA	Mid '81	34,000	-	34,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	2nd qtr.'81	190,000	-	190,000
Publishers	Newberg, OR	Early '81	190,000	-	190,000
St. Regis	Houston, TX	Mid '81	130,000	-	130,000
1984					
Kruger/Mississippi	Grenada County, MS	1984**	200,000	-	200,000
Canadian Mills					
1980					
Abitibi-Price	Stephenville, NFLD	Late '80	145,000	-	145,000
Abitibi-Price	Kenogami, QUE	Early '80	30,000	-	30,000
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '80	40,000	-	40,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1980	30,000	-	30,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Mid '80	16,000	-	16,000
Kruger	Three Rivers, QUE	Late '80	18,000	-	18,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, BC	1980	50,000	-	50,000
1981					
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '81	30,000	-	30,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1981	20,000	-	20,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Early '81	25,000	-	25,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	1981	23,000	-	23,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	Early '81	160,000	-	160,000
1982					
Abitibi-Price	Iroquois Falls, ONT	Mid '82	18,000	-	18,000
British Columbia	Crofton, BC	Early '82	175,000	-	175,000
Canadian Int.	Dalhousie, NB	Mid '80	100,000	-	100,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Belgo, QUE	1982	40,000	-	40,000
Crown	Elk Falls, BC	Early '82	180,000	-	180,000
Donohue-Normick	Amos, QUE	1982	150,000	-	150,000
Ontario	Thorold, ONT	1982	26,000	64,000(5)	90,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements

**Mill built by 1983

(5) Groundwood Specialties

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NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT **

REPORT FOR JUNE 1980

U.S. newsprint consumption during the three months ending June 1980 (seasonally adjusted) was 5% below the peak usage last fall and was at the lowest level since late 1978.

Publishers inventory continued to move upward in June. The stock level equaled 50 days of supply on June 30.

(Thousands of Metric Tons)	JUNE 1979	JUNE 1980	JUNE % Change	6 MOS. YEAR TO DATE 1979	6 MOS. YEAR TO DATE 1980	6 MOS. YEAR TO DATE % Change	Details On Page No. *
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS							
NORTH AMERICA							
Production	1,026	1,074	+ 4.7	6,141	6,645	+ 8.2	2
% of Capacity	96.0	96.7	+ 0.7	95.9	98.5	+ 2.7	6
Shipments	1,038	1,078	+ 3.9	6,123	6,595	+ 7.7	2
UNITED STATES							
Production	306	357	+16.6	1,784	2,098	+17.6	3
% of Capacity	96.1	96.1	-	95.5	96.3	+ 0.8	6
Shipments	304	346	+14.0	1,782	2,078	+16.6	3
CANADA							
Production	720	717	- 0.3	4,357	4,547	+ 4.4	4
% of Capacity	.96	97	+ 1.0	96	99	+ 3.1	6
Shipments	734	732	- 0.3	4,341	4,517	+ 4.1	4
U.S. Consumption							
(525) ANPA Newspapers	545	540P	- 0.9	3,277	3,273	- 0.1	5
Estimated Total	814	811P	- 0.4	5,006	4,979	- 0.5	
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	625	801P	+28.2	▨	▨	▨	6
North American Mills – Stocks	222	228	+ 2.7	▨	▨	▨	2

* Additional information proceeds as follows: Graph – 1; Shipments by Destination – 7 & 8; Historical Data – 9; Circulations – 9; Forecasts of U.S. Economy – 10; Capacity Information – 11.

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

Abitibi Southern Corporation
Bear Island Paper Company
Boise Cascade Corporation
Boise Southern Company
Bowater Incorporated

Crown Zellerbach Corporation
Field Enterprises, Inc.
Garden State Paper Company
Great Northern Paper Company
Inland Empire Paper Company
International Paper Company

North Pacific Paper Company
Publishers Paper Company
Southland Paper Division of St.Regis Paper Co.
Southeast Paper Mfg. Company
Southwest Forest Industries

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.
** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing
P- Preliminary

In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., and the U.S. Bureau of Census.

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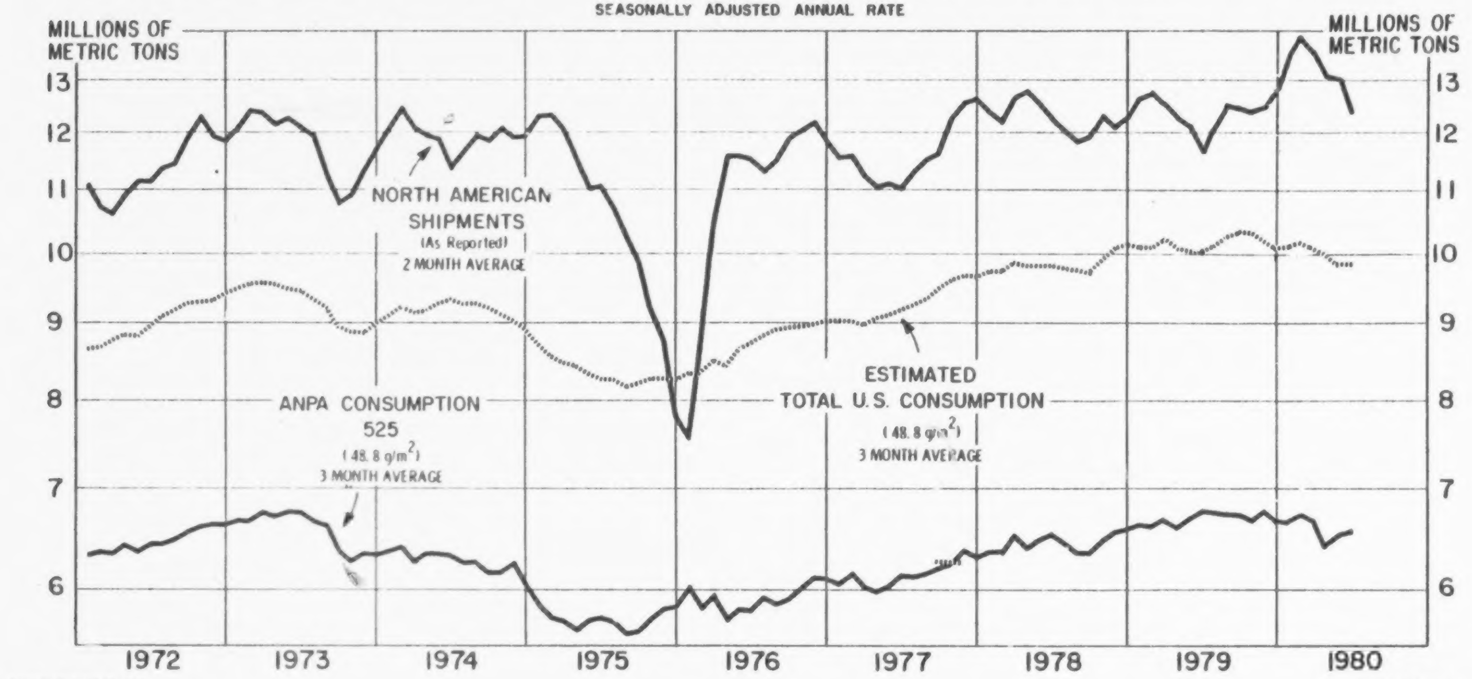
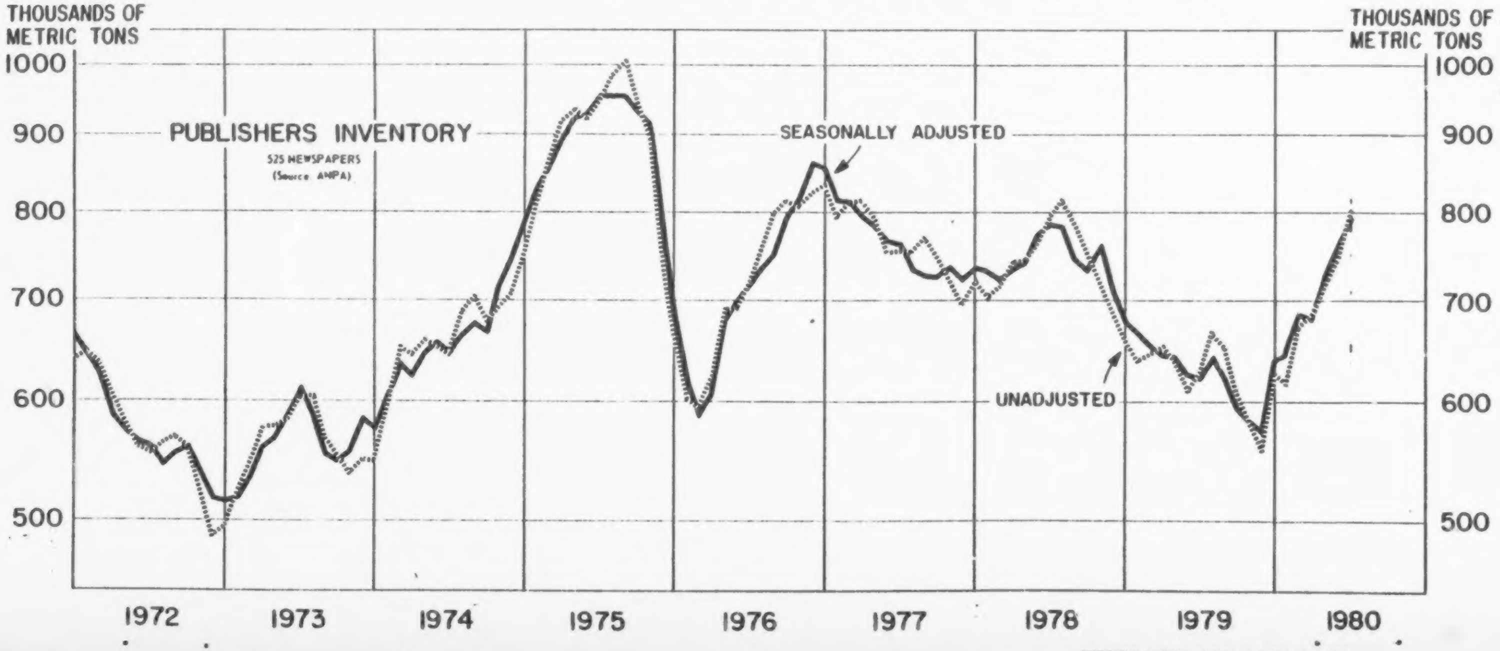
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE





NEWSPRINT DIVISION, AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	NORTH AMERICA											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978R	1979	1980R	% Chg.	1978R	1979	1980R	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980R	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,026.6	1,039.5	1,119.9	+ 7.7	936.7	995.7	1,063.3	+ 6.8	376.5	248.5	234.6	- 5.6
FEBRUARY	977.2	964.3	1,071.9	+ 11.2	906.9	940.2	1,077.7	+ 14.6	446.7	272.6	228.8	- 16.1
MARCH	1,067.7	1,066.0	1,140.3	+ 7.0	1,167.1	1,080.9	1,128.6	+ 4.4	347.7	257.8	240.5	- 6.7
APRIL	1,058.4	1,015.1	1,105.4	+ 8.9	1,022.0	1,013.1	1,108.8	+ 9.4	384.0	259.9	237.2	- 8.7
MAY	1,069.6	1,030.3	1,134.3	+ 10.1	1,121.0	1,055.5	1,138.5	+ 7.9	332.8	234.6	232.9	- 0.7
JUNE	1,038.7	1,025.5	1,073.7	+ 4.7	1,083.6	1,037.8	1,078.4	+ 3.9	288.0	222.4	228.3	+ 2.7
JULY	988.4	1,021.4			980.5	1,023.5			295.9	220.4		
AUGUST	995.8	1,059.7			991.0	1,069.9			300.4	210.2		
SEPTEMBER	979.8	1,001.8			988.0	974.5			292.1	237.5		
OCTOBER	1,074.7	1,099.4			1,092.1	1,116.0			274.9	220.9		
NOVEMBER	1,003.1	1,078.5			1,012.3	1,071.8			265.6	227.6		
DECEMBER	979.3	1,039.6			1,040.6	1,089.2			204.4	178.0		
6 MONTHS	6,238.2	6,140.7	6,645.5	+ 8.2	6,237.3	6,123.2	6,595.3	+ 7.7				
TOTAL YEAR	12,259.3	12,441.1			12,341.8	12,468.1						

	DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS											
	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978R	1979	1980R	% Chg.	1978R	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	764.4	802.5	852.3	+ 6.2	69.0	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	103.3	116.6	130.4	+ 11.8
FEBRUARY	735.9	783.6	859.1	+ 9.6	75.2	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	95.8	84.3	138.7	+ 64.5
MARCH	905.9	871.3	895.2	+ 2.7	88.4	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	172.8	132.6	148.7	+ 12.1
APRIL	830.8	798.8	884.0	+ 10.7	74.4	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	116.8	131.0	137.8	+ 5.2
MAY	895.9	824.1	885.9	+ 7.5	81.3	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	143.8	143.1	166.1	+ 16.1
JUNE	849.8	828.2	854.4	+ 3.2	77.6	84.6	85.7	+ 1.3	156.2	125.0	138.3	+ 10.6
JULY	756.9	822.0			71.1	70.0			152.5	131.5		
AUGUST	795.2	852.3			65.9	80.0			129.9	137.6		
SEPTEMBER	776.0	774.6			73.6	79.4			138.4	120.5		
OCTOBER	868.5	885.0			87.8	89.0			135.8	142.0		
NOVEMBER	779.7	862.9			82.2	86.5			150.4	122.4		
DECEMBER	817.2	868.6			77.5	83.8			145.9	136.8		
6 MONTHS	4,982.7	4,908.5	5,230.9	+ 6.6	465.9	482.1	504.4	+ 4.6	788.7	732.6	860.0	+ 17.4
TOTAL YEAR	9,776.2	9,973.9			924.0	970.8			1,641.6	1,523.4		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.
R = Revised

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980R	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980R	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980R	% Chg.
JANUARY	288.6	286.1	342.9	+ 19.9	280.7	286.0	336.1	+ 17.5	38.7	20.1	23.1	+ 14.9
FEBRUARY	278.9	279.7	334.0	+ 19.4	280.6	278.1	333.5	+ 19.9	37.0	21.7	23.6	+ 8.8
MARCH	316.1	315.5	357.9	+ 13.4	322.9	317.6	351.3	+ 10.6	30.2	19.6	30.2	+ 54.1
APRIL	299.2	289.2	339.2	+ 17.3	295.2	291.3	346.1	+ 18.8	34.2	17.5	23.3	+ 33.1
MAY	302.4	307.3	367.7	+ 19.7	306.1	305.3	364.9	+ 19.5	30.6	19.5	26.1	+ 33.8
JUNE	303.8	305.8	356.5	+ 16.6	307.1	304.0	346.5	+ 14.0	27.3	21.3	36.1	+ 69.5
JULY	225.4	301.0			222.7	303.6			30.1	18.8		
AUGUST	246.4	323.4			251.3	321.9			25.1	20.3		
SEPTEMBER	289.2	305.9			287.0	305.1			27.2	21.1		
OCTOBER	296.4	334.0			301.5	333.5			22.2	21.6		
NOVEMBER	290.9	329.7			291.7	327.5			21.3	23.8		
DECEMBER	280.5	307.2			281.8	314.7			20.0	16.3		
6 MONTHS	1,789.0	1,783.6	2,098.2	+ 17.6	1,792.6	1,782.3	2,078.4	+ 16.6				
TOTAL YEAR	3,417.8	3,684.8			3,428.6	3,688.6						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1978	1979	1980R	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	277.2	275.9	325.2	+ 17.9	3.5	10.1	10.9	+ 7.9	0	7.0	8.4	+ 20.0
FEBRUARY	271.2	275.2	322.0	+ 17.0	9.4	2.9	11.5	+296.6	0	12.1	23.1	+ 90.9
MARCH	312.7	308.2	343.9	+ 11.6	10.2	9.4	7.4	- 21.3	0	2.3	8.5	+269.6
APRIL	288.0	286.1	328.0	+ 14.6	7.2	5.2	18.1	+248.1	0	9.4	2.5	- 73.4
MAY	297.6	300.7	353.6	+ 17.6	8.5	4.6	11.3	+145.7	0	18.5	25.8	+ 39.5
JUNE	294.0	297.3	336.7	+ 13.3	13.1	6.7	9.8	+ 46.3	0	17.4		
JULY	219.2	299.3			3.5	4.3			0	16.6		
AUGUST	248.9	313.8			2.4	8.1			0	7.0		
SEPTEMBER	276.2	298.4			10.8	6.7			0	1.8		
OCTOBER	290.8	323.8			10.7	9.7			0	12.5		
NOVEMBER	283.6	318.1			8.1	9.4			0	15.7		
DECEMBER	273.7	305.4			8.1	9.3			0	11.6		
6 MONTHS	1,740.7	1,743.4	2,009.4	+ 15.3	51.9	38.9	69.0	+ 77.4	(5 mos.)	49.3	68.3	+ 38.5
TOTAL YEAR	3,333.1	3,602.2			95.5	86.4			0	131.9		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census.
R = Revised

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	CANADA											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978R	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978R	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	738.0	753.4	777.0	+ 3.1	656.0	709.7	727.2	+ 2.5	337.8	228.4	211.5	- 7.4
FEBRUARY	698.3	684.6	737.9	+ 7.8	626.3	662.1	744.2	+ 12.4	409.7	250.9	205.2	- 18.2
MARCH	751.6	750.5	782.4	+ 4.3	844.2	763.3	777.3	+ 1.8	317.5	238.2	210.3	- 11.7
APRIL	759.2	725.9	766.2	+ 5.6	726.8	721.8	762.7	+ 5.7	349.8	242.4	213.9	- 11.8
MAY	767.2	723.0	766.6	+ 6.0	814.9	750.2	773.6	+ 3.1	302.2	215.1	206.8	- 3.9
JUNE	734.9	719.7	717.2	- 0.3	776.5	733.8	731.9	- 0.3	260.7	201.1	192.2	- 4.4
JULY	763.0	720.4			757.8	719.9			265.8	201.6		
AUGUST	749.4	736.3			739.7	748.0			275.3	189.9		
SEPTEMBER	690.6	695.9			701.0	669.4			264.9	216.4		
OCTOBER	778.3	765.4			790.6	782.5			252.7	199.3		
NOVEMBER	712.2	748.8			720.6	744.3			244.3	203.8		
DECEMBER	698.8	732.4			758.8	774.5			184.4	161.7		
6 MONTHS	4,449.2	4,357.1	4,547.3	+ 4.4	4,444.7	4,340.9	4,516.9	+ 4.1				
TOTAL YEAR	8,841.5	8,756.3			8,913.2	8,779.5						

	DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS											
	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978R	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978R	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	487.2	526.6	527.1	+ 0.1	69.0	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	99.8	106.5	119.5	+ 12.2
FEBRUARY	464.7	508.4	537.1	+ 5.6	75.2	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	86.4	81.4	127.2	+ 56.3
MARCH	593.2	563.1	551.3	- 2.1	88.4	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	162.6	123.2	141.3	+ 14.7
APRIL	542.8	512.7	556.0	+ 8.4	74.4	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	109.6	125.8	119.7	- 4.8
MAY	598.3	523.4	532.3	+ 1.7	81.3	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	135.3	138.5	154.8	+ 11.8
JUNE	555.8	530.9	517.7	- 2.5	77.6	84.6	85.7	+ 1.3	143.1	118.3	128.5	+ 8.6
JULY	537.7	522.7			71.1	70.0			149.0	127.2		
AUGUST	546.3	538.5			65.9	80.0			127.5	129.5		
SEPTEMBER	499.8	476.2			73.6	79.4			127.6	113.8		
OCTOBER	577.7	561.2			87.8	89.0			125.1	132.3		
NOVEMBER	496.1	544.8			82.2	86.5			142.3	113.0		
DECEMBER	543.5	563.2			77.5	83.8			137.8	127.5		
6 MONTHS	3,242.0	3,165.1	3,221.5	+ 1.8	465.9	482.1	504.4	+ 4.6	736.8	693.7	791.0	+ 14.0
TOTAL YEAR	6,443.1	6,371.7			924.0	970.8			1,546.1	1,437.0		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.
R = Revised

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA (525) Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump.*		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	497.1	503.2	516.3	+ 2.6	760.0	777.0	789.0	+ 1.5	65.4	64.8	65.4
FEBRUARY	472.7	496.6	521.1	+ 4.9	725.0	769.0	793.0	+ 3.1	65.2	64.6	65.7
MARCH	543.9	570.3	581.6	+ 2.0	824.0	875.0	881.0R	+ 0.7	66.0	65.2	66.0R
APRIL	562.3	574.7	544.8	- 5.2	865.0	885.0	847.0R	- 4.3	65.0	64.9	64.3R
MAY	572.1	586.9	568.7R	- 3.1	868.0	886.0	858.0R	- 3.2	65.9	66.2	66.3R
JUNE	531.5	545.1	540.1P	- 0.9	797.0	814.0	811.0P	- 0.4	66.7	67.0	66.6P
JULY	508.4	518.8			769.0	786.0			66.1	66.0	
AUGUST	505.9	540.0			779.0	827.0			64.9	65.3	
SEPTEMBER	513.6	559.5			789.0	862.0			65.1	64.9	
OCTOBER	565.7	597.5			869.0	924.0			65.1	64.7	
NOVEMBER	595.9	600.5			923.0	908.0			64.6	66.1	
DECEMBER	577.3	580.1			896.0	884.0			64.4	65.6	
6 MONTHS	3,179.6	3,276.8	3,272.6(P)	- 0.1	4,839.0	5,006.0	4,979.0(P)	- 0.5			
TOTAL YEAR	6,446.4	6,673.2			9,864.0	10,197.0					

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

* - 5 month moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS Seasonally Adjusted-Annual Basis			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,344	6,616	6,664	+ 0.7	9,700	10,210	10,190	- 0.2	12,205	12,820	13,840	+ 8.0
FEBRUARY	6,324	6,596	6,721	+ 1.9	9,700	10,210	10,230	+ 0.2	12,283	12,792	14,041	+ 9.8
MARCH	6,448	6,683	6,692R	+ 0.1	9,770	10,250	10,140R	- 1.1	13,184	12,294	13,048	+ 6.1
APRIL	6,389	6,594	6,411R	- 2.8	9,830	10,160	9,970	- 1.9	12,537	12,280	13,306	+ 8.4
MAY	6,511	6,680	6,531R	- 2.2	9,880	10,090	9,850R	- 2.4	12,535	11,950	12,864	+ 7.6
JUNE	6,603	6,760	6,560P	- 3.0	9,900	10,090	9,850P	- 2.4	12,011	11,563	12,016	+ 3.9
JULY	6,511	6,732			9,850	10,200			12,117	12,636		
AUGUST	6,380	6,719			9,830	10,290			11,661	12,526		
SEPTEMBER	6,334	6,717			9,730	10,350			12,336	12,506		
OCTOBER	6,458	6,664			9,920	10,300			12,403	12,457		
NOVEMBER	6,518	6,775			10,090	10,250			12,003	12,647		
DECEMBER	6,582	6,665			10,220	10,160			12,651	13,256		
6 Months Average Annual Rate	6,436	6,655	6,596(P)	- 0.9	9,797	10,168	10,038(P)	- 1.3				

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY - CONSUMERS' STOCKS ON HAND & IN TRANSIT*					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Pub.by ANPA (525)			U. S. Estimated Total		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	702.4	639.7	616.9	- 3.6	730.9	667.0	643.9	- 3.5	41	36	34	41	36	34
FEBRUARY	711.6	646.4	670.4	+ 3.7	721.7	657.6	683.4	+ 3.9	40	35	36	40	36	36
MARCH	742.5	650.5	683.0	+ 5.0	735.6	646.6	680.3	+ 5.2	40	34	37	41	35	38
APRIL	742.2	642.5	724.0	+ 12.7	741.4	643.8	726.2	+ 12.8	41	34	40	41	33	40
MAY	757.1	609.1	748.7R	+ 22.9	775.6	624.7	767.9R	+ 22.9	44	34	42	44	34	44
JUNE	795.0	625.2	801.2P	+ 28.2	789.2	620.2	794.8P	+ 28.2	49	37	50P	48	37	47P
JULY	815.1	668.1			786.3	644.9			49	38		47	37	
AUGUST	787.1	654.4			747.2	621.5			45	35		45	35	
SEPTEMBER	751.7	611.6			730.6	593.2			40	32		42	31	
OCTOBER	762.4	584.1			762.8	583.5			39	29		39	30	
NOVEMBER	690.1	556.5			711.5	572.5			38	30		37	31	
DECEMBER	660.0	627.6			674.7	640.4			40	38		38	34	

P - Preliminary. R- Revised
*The calculation of U.S. Consumers' days supply is based on consumption in subsequent months. For the most recent months a projected rate of consumption is used. Days supply for the ANPA group has been revised and is now based on consumption in the subsequent month.
Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

OPERATING RATES

	United States				Canada				North America			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	96.0	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	96	96	100	+ 4.2	96.0	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3
FEBRUARY	97.9	92.7	97.1	+ 4.7	99	97	100	+ 3.1	98.7	95.7	99.1	+ 3.6
MARCH	97.2	96.5	96.9	+ 0.4	100	98	101	+ 3.1	99.2	97.6	99.7	+ 2.2
APRIL	97.2	96.2	96.4	+ 0.2	100	95	100	+ 5.3	99.2	95.3	98.9	+ 3.8
MAY	96.9	98.0	96.7	- 1.3	101	94	99	+ 5.3	99.8	95.2	98.3R	+ 3.3
JUNE	97.0	96.1	96.1	-	99	96	97	+ 1.0	98.4	96.0	96.7	+ 0.7
JULY	85.0	91.3			98	92			94.7	91.8		
AUGUST	76.9	97.1			99	96			92.4	96.3		
SEPTEMBER	87.2	94.5			97	96			93.9	95.5		
OCTOBER	91.0	97.1			100	97			97.3	97.0		
NOVEMBER	93.2	96.4			97	100			95.9	98.9		
DECEMBER	85.0	89.1			97	101			93.2	97.2		
6 MONTHS	97.0	95.5	96.3	+ 0.8	99	96	99	+3.1	98.5	95.9	98.5	+ 2.7
TOTAL YEAR	92.1	97.6			98	97			96.6	96.6		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.
R = Revised

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	429	253	176	495	269	658	95	625	3,000
1972	453	281	182	548	283	696	117	659	3,219
1973	432	279	172	575	321	748	161	630	3,318
1974*	425	230	160	562	315	730	158	670	3,250
1974	411	221	154	543	304	705	152	646	3,136
1975	463	254	193	551	299	701	142	632	3,235
1976	479	234	185	589	300	735	136	637	3,295
1977R	493	216	187	591	303	743	151	706	3,390
1978R	429	199	174	540	307	849	168	667	3,333
1979R	446	202	187	614	318	884	186	765	3,602
Canada									
1971	1,969	1,660	358	589	103	24	187	686	5,576
1972	2,079	1,694	408	669	117	37	176	653	5,833
1973	2,122	1,746	434	789	128	55	196	749	6,219
1974*	2,237	1,920	456	807	159	73	192	723	6,567
1974	2,147	1,842	438	775	152	71	185	694	6,304
1975	1,711	1,480	315	570	93	62	145	603	4,979
1976	1,779	1,659	417	727	129	78	181	700	5,670
1977	1,873	1,607	387	739	111	74	204	756	5,751
1978R	1,946	1,812	466	848	125	62	220	964	6,443
1979R	1,975	1,813	480	755	132	73	229	915	6,372
North America									
1971	2,398	1,913	534	1,084	372	682	282	1,311	8,576
1972	2,532	1,975	590	1,217	400	733	293	1,312	9,052
1973	2,554	2,025	606	1,364	449	803	357	1,379	9,537
1974*	2,662	2,150	616	1,369	474	803	350	1,393	9,817
1974	2,558	2,063	592	1,318	456	776	337	1,340	9,440
1975	2,174	1,734	508	1,121	392	763	287	1,235	8,214
1976	2,258	1,893	602	1,316	429	813	317	1,337	8,965
1977R	2,366	1,823	574	1,330	414	817	355	1,462	9,141
1978R	2,375	2,011	640	1,388	432	911	388	1,631	9,776
1979	2,421	2,015	667	1,369	450	957	415	1,680	9,974

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association.

R - Revised

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA(1)			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA(1)		
		1979R	1980	%Chg.	1979R	1980	%Chg.	1979R	1980	%Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	116.5	107.2	- 8.0	486.8	538.0	+ 10.5	603.3	645.2	+ 6.9
	2 Q	112.4			462.8			575.2		
	3 Q	103.7			503.4			607.1		
	4 Q	113.2			521.3			634.5		
	Year	445.8			1,974.3			2,420.1		
East North Central	1 Q	52.0	53.9	+ 3.7	443.4	457.9	+ 3.3	495.4	511.8	+ 3.3
	2 Q	51.1			433.3			484.4		
	3 Q	47.2			471.2			518.4		
	4 Q	52.1			465.4			517.5		
	Year	202.4			1,813.3			2,015.7		
West North Central	1 Q	47.5	52.3	+ 10.1	121.4	118.6	- 2.3	168.9	170.9	+ 1.2
	2 Q	45.6			121.0			166.6		
	3 Q	48.4			115.1			163.5		
	4 Q	45.6			122.7			168.3		
	Year	187.1			480.2			667.3		
South Atlantic	1 Q	133.3	204.4	+ 53.3	208.8	169.7	- 18.7	342.1	374.1	+ 9.4
	2 Q	144.0			189.5			333.5		
	3 Q	166.1			154.8			320.9		
	4 Q	171.1			202.1			373.2		
	Year	614.5			755.2			1,369.7		
East South Central	1 Q	73.2	82.0	+ 12.0	30.7	51.6	+ 68.1	103.9	133.6	+ 28.6
	2 Q	79.0			34.4			113.4		
	3 Q	77.2			33.4			110.6		
	4 Q	88.3			33.6			121.9		
	Year	317.7			132.1			449.8		
West South Central	1 Q	210.8	226.6	+ 7.5	13.5	22.5	+ 66.7	224.3	249.1	+ 11.1
	2 Q	225.2			16.7			241.9		
	3 Q	226.3			20.0			246.3		
	4 Q	221.2			22.3			243.5		
	Year	883.5			72.5			956.0		
Mountain	1 Q	49.2	53.0	+ 7.7	60.8	52.8	- 13.2	110.0	105.8	- 3.8
	2 Q	45.5			63.3			108.8		
	3 Q	41.3			49.0			90.3		
	4 Q	50.3			55.8			106.1		
	Year	186.3			228.9			415.2		
Pacific	1 Q	176.8	211.7	+ 19.7	232.7	204.4	- 12.2	409.5	416.1	+ 1.6
	2 Q	181.3			246.0			427.3		
	3 Q	201.3			190.5			391.8		
	4 Q	205.5			246.0			451.5		
	Year	764.9			915.2			1,680.1		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	859.3	991.1	+ 15.3	1,598.1	1,615.5	+ 1.1	2,457.4	2,606.6	+ 6.1
	2 Q	884.1			1,567.0			2,451.1		
	3 Q	911.5			1,537.4			2,448.9		
	4 Q	947.3			1,669.2			2,616.5		
	Year	3,602.2			6,371.7			9,973.9		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

R = Revised

NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of metric tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS				INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS	(525) NEWS-PAPER PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF YEAR
		TOTAL	TO UNITED STATES	TO CANADA	TO OTHER MARKETS			
United States								
1968	2,762	2,772	2,671	-	101	24	258	575
1969	3,050	3,051	2,945	-	106	24	266	634
1970	3,142	3,136	3,008	-	128	30	286	680
1971	3,153	3,146	3,000	-	146	37	288	639
1972	3,317	3,330	3,219	-	111	24	298	493
1973	3,391	3,395	3,318	-	77	21	346	547
1974*	3,348	3,347	3,250	-	97	23	-	780
1974	3,230	3,230	3,136	-	94	23	193	750
1975	3,348	3,347	3,235	-	112	19	30	666
1976	3,389	3,381	3,295	-	86	26	52	835
1977	3,512	3,507	3,390	-	117	31	0	722
1978	3,418	3,429	3,333	-	96	20	0	660
1979	3,685	3,689	3,602	-	87	16	132	628
Canada								
1968	7,286	7,345	5,540	612	1,193	184	-	
1969	7,945	7,930	5,822	643	1,465	200	-	
1970	7,808	7,795	5,575	650	1,570	214	-	
1971	7,670	7,586	5,576	654	1,356	301	-	
1972	8,001	8,075	5,833	709	1,533	228	-	
1973	8,292	8,345	6,219	779	1,347	175	-	
1974*	9,023	9,070	6,567	837	1,666	132	-	
1974	8,662	8,706	6,304	804	1,598	130	-	
1975	6,966	7,010	4,979	784	1,247	86	-	
1976	8,088	7,902	5,670	803	1,429	271	-	
1977	8,154	8,169	5,751	824	1,594	256	-	
1978	8,841R	8,913R	6,443R	924R	1,546	184	-	
1979	8,756	8,780	6,372	971	1,437	162	-	
North America								
1968	10,048	10,117	8,211	612	1,294	208	258	
1969	10,995	10,981	8,767	643	1,571	224	266	
1970	10,950	10,931	8,583	650	1,698	244	286	
1971	10,823	10,732	8,576	654	1,502	338	288	
1972	11,318	11,405	9,052	709	1,644	252	298	
1973	11,683	11,740	9,537	779	1,424	196	346	
1974*	12,371	12,417	9,817	837	1,763	155	-	
1974	11,892	11,936	9,440	804	1,692	153	193	
1975	10,314	10,357	8,214	784	1,359	105	30	
1976	11,477	11,283	8,965	803	1,515	297	52	
1977	11,666	11,676	9,141	824	1,711	287	0	
1978	12,259R	12,342R	9,776R	924R	1,642	204	0	
1979	12,441	12,469	9,974	971	1,524	178	132	

*Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

R = Revised

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION			TONNAGE LOSS DUE TO NEWSPAPER STRIKES
YEAR	AS REPORTED	48.8 G/M^2	
1968	8,461	7,932	168
1969	8,940	8,381	52
1970	8,805	8,271	72
1971	8,923	8,390	94
1972	9,568	9,016	6
1973	9,792	9,249	15
1974	9,330	9,164	25
1975	8,395	8,321	6
1976	8,719	8,688	0
1977	9,279	9,279	5
1978	9,864	9,868	130
1979	10,197	10,190	

UNITED STATES NEWSPAPER

CIRCULATION PER HOUSEHOLD

YEAR	U.S. HOUSEHOLDS (000's)	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS)		CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD	
		DAILY	SUNDAY	DAILY	SUNDAY
1960	52,799	58.9	47.7	1.12	0.90
1961	53,557	59.3	48.2	1.11	0.90
1962	54,764	59.9	48.9	1.09	0.89
1963	55,270	58.9	46.8	1.07	0.85
1964	56,149	60.4	48.4	1.08	0.86
1965	57,436	60.4	48.6	1.05	0.85
1966	58,406	61.4	49.3	1.05	0.84
1967	59,236	61.6	49.2	1.04	0.83
1968	60,813	62.0	49.5	1.02	0.81
1969	62,214	62.0	49.7	1.00	0.80
1970	63,401	62.1	49.2	0.98	0.78
1971	64,778	62.2	49.7	0.96	0.77
1972	66,676	62.5	50.0	0.94	0.75
1973	68,251	63.1	51.7	0.92	0.76
1974	69,859	61.9	51.7	0.89	0.74
1975	71,120	60.7	51.1	0.85	0.72
1976	72,867	61.0	51.6	0.84	0.71
1977	74,142	61.5	52.4	0.83	0.71
1978	76,030	62.0P	54.0P	0.82	0.71
1979	78,157P				

P = Preliminary.
Source: Department of Commerce and Editor and Publisher.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1980				1981				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1980	1981
Merrill Lynch Economics - July, 1980 Based on Rev. (Second) 1st qtr. data (1,444.7)	1,444.7	1,415.1	1,391.6	1,385.5	1,384.0	1,404.2	1,428.3	1,450.3	1,409.2	1,416.7
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+1.2	-8.0	-6.5	-1.7	-0.4	+5.9	+7.1	+6.3	-1.6	+0.5
The Conference Board - April, 1980 Based on Pre. 1st qtr. data (1,444.2)	1,444.2	1,412.6	1,394.7	1,385.8	1,391.2	1,416.8	1,430.6	1,444.9	1,409.3	1,420.9
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+1.1	-8.5	-5.0	-2.5	+1.6	+7.6	+4.0	+4.1	-1.6	+0.8
Chase Econometric - May, 1980 Based on Rev. 1st qtr. data (1,442.6)	1,442.6	1,415.2	1,393.6	1,392.4	1,402.1	1,413.3	1,420.3	1,432.4	1,410.9	1,417.0
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+0.6	-7.4	-6.0	-0.3	+2.8	+3.2	+2.0	+3.5	-1.4	+0.4
Copeland Economics - June, 1980 Based on Rev. 1st qtr. data (1,442.6)	1,442.6	1,410.0	1,396.0	1,391.0	1,393.0	1,407.0	1,431.0	1,457.0	1,410.0	1,422.0
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+0.6	-8.8	-3.9	-1.4	+0.6	+4.1	+7.0	+7.5	-1.5	+0.9

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2
Annual GNP for - 1979 - 1,431.6

Pre. 2nd qtr. data is 1,410.8

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - July 1980 Based on 1st qtr. data (152.2)	152.2	145.2	141.0	139.7	139.0	142.9	148.3	152.9	144.5	145.8
% Change from next preceding quarter**	0.0	-17.0	-11.1	-3.5	-2.1	+11.6	+16.1	+13.2	-5.0	+0.6

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES-BY MEDIA-PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T.V.	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.8	5.6	3.4	15.1	1.2	55.1	18.1	6.8	20.0
1975	30.0	5.2	3.3	14.6	1.2	54.3	18.7	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.2	1.1	53.1	20.0	6.9	20.0
1977	29.4	5.7	3.2	13.6	1.1	53.0	20.1	6.9	20.0
1978	28.9	5.9	3.2	13.6	1.1	52.7	20.4	6.9	20.0
1979	29.3	5.9	3.2	13.3	1.1	52.8	20.4	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			Tons	% Change
1966	2,309	8,054	10,363	-
1967	2,580	8,431	11,011	+ 6.3
1968	2,881	8,759	11,640	+ 5.7
1969	3,061	8,777	11,838	+ 1.7
1970	3,205	8,931	12,136	+ 2.5
1971	3,304	9,290	12,594	+ 3.8
1972	3,351	9,344	12,695	+ 0.8
1973	3,465	9,378	12,843	+ 1.2
1974	3,528	9,502	13,030	+ 1.5
	REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN G/M² (3)			
1974	3,377	9,106	12,483	-
1975	3,582	9,222	12,804	+ 2.6
1975	3,582	Revised 8,974 (4)	12,556	-
1976	3,641	9,000	12,641	+ 0.7
1977	3,691	8,983	12,674	+ 0.3
1978	3,710R	8,946	12,656R	- 0.1
1979	3,776R	9,060R	12,836R	+ 1.4
1980	4,258R	9,160R	13,418R	+ 4.5
1981	4,679R	9,450P	14,129P	+ 5.3
1982	4,964R	10,000P	14,964P	+ 5.9
1983	4,980R	10,200P	15,180P	+ 1.4

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979, plus subsequent revisions reflecting changes announced since that time.

(2) Source: CPPA. P - Preliminary
NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the grams per square meter (g/m²) of newsprint from 52 to 48.8. A given area of printing surface of 48.8 g/m² paper weighs less than the same area of 52 g/m² paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

(In metric tons)

Company	Mill	Date	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, VA	Early '80	159,000	-	159,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, LA	April '80	172,000	-	172,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, CA	Mid '81	34,000	-	34,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	2nd qtr.'81	190,000	-	190,000
Publishers	Newberg, OR	Early '81	190,000	-	190,000
St. Regis	Houston, TX	Mid '81	130,000	-	130,000
1984					
Kruger/Mississippi	Grenada County, MS	1984**	200,000	-	200,000
Canadian Mills					
1980					
Abitibi-Price	Stephenville, NFLD	Late '80	145,000	-	145,000
Abitibi-Price	Kenogami, QUE	Early '80	30,000	-	30,000
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '80	40,000	-	40,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1980	30,000	-	30,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Mid '80	16,000	-	16,000
Kruger	Three Rivers, QUE	Late '80	18,000	-	18,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, BC	1980	50,000	-	50,000
1981					
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '81	30,000	-	30,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1981	20,000	-	20,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Early '81	25,000	-	25,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	1981	23,000	-	23,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	Early '81	160,000	-	160,000
1982					
Abitibi-Price	Iroquois Falls, ONT	Mid '82	18,000	-	18,000
British Columbia	Crofton, BC	Early '82	175,000	-	175,000
Canadian Int.	Dalhousie, NB	Mid '80	100,000	-	100,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Belgo, QUE	1982	40,000	-	40,000
Crown	Elk Falls, BC	Early '82	180,000	-	180,000
Donohue-Normick	Amos, QUE	1982	150,000	-	150,000
Ontario	Thorold, ONT	1982	26,000	64,000(5)	90,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements

**Mill built by 1983

(5) Groundwood Specialties

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NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT **

REPORT FOR JULY 1980

Newsprint mills in the United States shipped 16.4% more newsprint during the first seven months of 1980 than during the comparable period of 1979. Shipments of newsprint from Canadian mills increased 1.9% during the same period.

U.S. consumption of newsprint cumulative to July 31 was down 1.3%.

(Thousands of Metric Tons)	JULY			7 MOS. YEAR TO DATE			Details On Page No. *
	1979	1980	% Change	1979	1980	% Change	
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS							
NORTH AMERICA							
Production	1,021	942	- 7.8	7,162	7,588	+ 5.9	2
% of Capacity	91.8	81.0	-11.8	95.3	95.9	+ 0.6	6
Shipments	1,023	989	- 3.3	7,147	7,585	+ 6.1	2
UNITED STATES							
Production	301	341	+13.2	2,084	2,439	+17.0	3
% of Capacity	91.3	89.2	- 2.3	94.9	95.3	+ 0.4	6
Shipments	304	350	+15.1	2,086	2,428	+16.4	3
CANADA							
Production	720	601	-16.5	5,078	5,149	+ 1.4	4
% of Capacity	92	77	-16.3	95	96	+ 1.1	6
Shipments	719	639	-11.1	5,061	5,157	+ 1.9	4
U.S. Consumption							
(525) ANPA Newspapers	519	501P	- 3.4	3,796	3,772	- 0.6	5
Estimated Total	786	762P	- 3.1	5,792	5,748	- 0.8	
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	668	791P	-18.4	▨	▨	▨	6
North American Mills – Stocks	220	181	-17.9	▨	▨	▨	2

* Additional information proceeds as follows: Graph – 1; Shipments by Destination – 7 & 8; Historical Data – 9; Circulations – 9; Forecasts of U.S. Economy – 10; Capacity Information – 11.

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

- Abitibi Southern Corporation
- Bear Island Paper Company
- Boise Cascade Corporation
- Boise Southern Company
- Bowater Incorporated
- Crown Zellerbach Corporation
- Field Enterprises, Inc.
- Garden State Paper Company
- Great Northern Paper Company
- Inland Empire Paper Company
- International Paper Company
- North Pacific Paper Company
- Publishers Paper Company
- Southland Paper Division of St.Regis Paper Co.
- Southeast Paper Mfg. Company
- Southwest Forest Industries

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.
** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing
P- Preliminary

In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., and the U.S. Bureau of Census.

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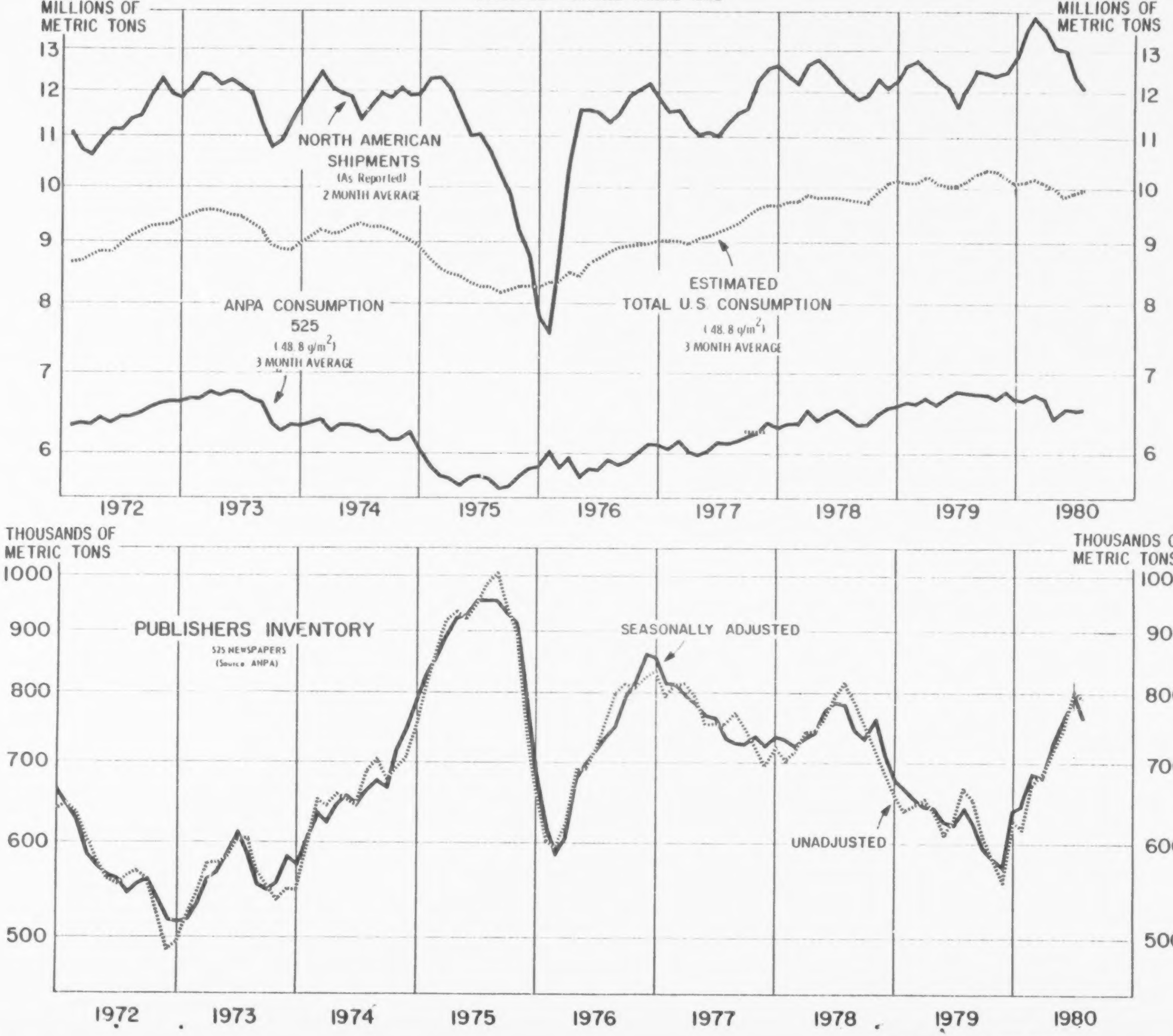
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE



NEWSPRINT DIVISION, AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

NORTH AMERICA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,026.6	1,039.5	1,119.9	+ 7.7	936.7	995.7	1,063.3	+ 6.8	376.5	248.5	234.6	- 5.6
FEBRUARY	977.2	964.3	1,071.9	+ 11.2	906.9	940.2	1,077.7	+ 14.6	446.7	272.6	228.8	- 16.1
MARCH	1,067.7	1,066.0	1,140.3	+ 7.0	1,167.1	1,080.9	1,128.6	+ 4.4	347.7	257.8	240.5	- 6.7
APRIL	1,058.4	1,015.1	1,105.4	+ 8.9	1,022.0	1,013.1	1,108.8	+ 9.4	384.0	259.9	237.2	- 8.7
MAY	1,069.6	1,030.3	1,134.3	+ 10.1	1,121.0	1,055.5	1,138.5	+ 7.9	332.8	234.6	232.9	- 0.7
JUNE	1,038.7	1,025.5	1,073.7	+ 4.7	1,083.6	1,037.8	1,078.4	+ 3.9	288.0	222.4	228.3	+ 2.7
JULY	988.4	1,021.4	942.0	- 7.8	980.5	1,023.5	989.3	- 3.3	295.9	220.4	180.9	- 17.9
AUGUST	995.8	1,059.7			991.0	1,069.9			300.4	210.2		
SEPTEMBER	979.8	1,001.8			988.0	974.5			292.1	237.5		
OCTOBER	1,074.7	1,099.4			1,092.1	1,116.0			274.9	220.9		
NOVEMBER	1,003.1	1,078.5			1,012.3	1,071.8			265.6	227.6		
DECEMBER	979.3	1,039.6			1,040.6	1,089.2			204.4	178.0		
7 MONTHS	7,226.6	7,162.1	7,587.5	+ 5.9	7,217.8	7,146.7	7,584.6	+ 6.1				
TOTAL YEAR	12,259.3	12,441.1			12,341.8	12,468.1						

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	764.4	802.5	852.3	+ 6.2	69.0	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	103.3	116.6	130.4	+ 11.8
FEBRUARY	735.9	783.6	859.1	+ 9.6	75.2	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	95.8	84.3	138.7	+ 64.5
MARCH	905.9	871.3	895.2	+ 2.7	88.4	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	172.8	132.6	148.7	+ 12.1
APRIL	830.8	798.8	884.0	+ 10.7	74.4	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	116.8	131.0	137.8	+ 5.2
MAY	895.9	824.1	885.9	+ 7.5	81.3	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	143.8	143.1	166.1	+ 16.1
JUNE	849.8	828.2	854.4	+ 3.2	77.6	84.6	85.7	+ 1.3	156.2	125.0	138.3	+ 10.6
JULY	756.9	822.0	763.8	- 7.1	71.1	70.0	75.7	+ 8.1	152.5	131.5	149.8	+ 13.9
AUGUST	795.2	852.3			65.9	80.0			129.9	137.6		
SEPTEMBER	776.0	774.6			73.6	79.4			138.4	120.5		
OCTOBER	868.5	885.0			87.8	89.0			135.8	142.0		
NOVEMBER	779.7	862.9			82.2	86.5			150.4	122.4		
DECEMBER	817.2	868.6			77.5	83.8			145.9	136.8		
7 MONTHS	5,739.6	5,730.5	5,994.7	+ 4.6	537.0	552.1	580.1	+ 5.1	941.2	864.1	1,009.8	+ 16.9
TOTAL YEAR	9,776.2	9,973.9			924.0	970.8			1,641.6	1,523.4		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	288.6	286.1	342.9	+ 19.9	280.7	286.0	336.1	+ 17.5	38.7	20.1	23.1	+ 14.9
FEBRUARY	278.9	279.7	334.0	+ 19.4	280.6	278.1	333.5	+ 19.9	37.0	21.7	23.6	+ 8.8
MARCH	316.1	315.5	357.9	+ 13.4	322.9	317.6	351.3	+ 10.6	30.2	19.6	30.2	+ 54.1
APRIL	299.2	289.2	339.2	+ 17.3	295.2	291.3	346.1	+ 18.8	34.2	17.5	23.3	+ 33.1
MAY	302.4	307.3	367.7	+ 19.7	306.1	305.3	364.9	+ 19.5	30.6	19.5	26.1	+ 33.8
JUNE	303.8	305.8	356.5	+ 16.6	307.1	304.0	346.5	+ 14.0	27.3	21.3	36.1	+ 69.5
JULY	225.4	301.0	340.6	+ 13.2	222.7	303.6	349.5	+ 15.1	30.1	18.8	27.2	+ 44.7
AUGUST	246.4	323.4			251.3	321.9			25.1	20.3		
SEPTEMBER	289.2	305.9			287.0	305.1			27.2	21.1		
OCTOBER	296.4	334.0			301.5	333.5			22.2	21.6		
NOVEMBER	290.9	329.7			291.7	327.5			21.3	23.8		
DECEMBER	280.5	307.2			281.8	314.7			20.0	16.3		
7 MONTHS	2,014.4	2,084.6	2,438.8	+ 17.0	2,015.3	2,085.9	2,427.9	+ 16.4				
TOTAL YEAR	3,417.8	3,684.8			3,428.6	3,688.6						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	277.2	275.9	325.2	+ 17.9	3.5	10.1	10.9	+ 7.9	0	7.0	8.4	+ 20.0
FEBRUARY	271.2	275.2	322.0	+ 17.0	9.4	2.9	11.5	+296.6	0	12.1	23.1	+ 90.9
MARCH	312.7	308.2	343.9	+ 11.6	10.2	9.4	7.4	- 21.3	0	2.3	8.5	+269.6
APRIL	288.0	286.1	328.0	+ 14.6	7.2	5.2	18.1	+248.1	0	9.4	2.5	- 73.4
MAY	297.6	300.7	353.6	+ 17.6	8.5	4.6	11.3	+145.7	0	18.5	25.8	+ 39.5
JUNE	294.0	297.3	336.7	+ 13.3	13.1	6.7	9.8	+ 46.3	0	17.4	10.4	- 40.2
JULY	219.2	299.3	321.8	+ 7.5	3.5	4.3	27.7	+544.2	0	16.6		
AUGUST	248.9	313.8			2.4	8.1			0	7.0		
SEPTEMBER	276.2	298.4			10.8	6.7			0	1.8		
OCTOBER	290.8	323.8			10.7	9.7			0	12.5		
NOVEMBER	283.6	318.1			8.1	9.4			0	15.7		
DECEMBER	273.7	305.4			8.1	9.3			0	11.6		
7 MONTHS	1,959.9	2,042.7	2,331.2	+ 14.1	55.4	43.2	96.7	+123.8	(6 mos.)	66.7	78.7	+ 18.0
TOTAL YEAR	3,333.1	3,602.2			95.5	86.4			0	131.9		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

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CANADA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	738.0	753.4	777.0	+ 3.1	656.0	709.7	727.2	+ 2.5	337.8	228.4	211.5	- 7.4
FEBRUARY	698.3	684.6	737.9	+ 7.8	626.3	662.1	744.2	+ 12.4	409.7	250.9	205.2	- 18.2
MARCH	751.6	750.5	782.4	+ 4.3	844.2	763.3	777.3	+ 1.8	317.5	238.2	210.3	- 11.7
APRIL	759.2	725.9	766.2	+ 5.6	726.8	721.8	762.7	+ 5.7	349.8	242.4	213.9	- 11.8
MAY	767.2	723.0	766.6	+ 6.0	814.9	750.2	773.6	+ 3.1	302.2	215.1	206.8	- 3.9
JUNE	734.9	719.7	717.2	- 0.3	776.5	733.8	731.9	- 0.3	260.7	201.1	192.2	- 4.4
JULY	763.0	720.4	601.4	- 16.5	757.8	719.9	639.8	- 11.1	265.8	201.6	153.7	- 23.8
AUGUST	749.4	736.3			739.7	748.0			275.3	189.9		
SEPTEMBER	690.6	695.9			701.0	669.4			264.9	216.4		
OCTOBER	778.3	765.4			790.6	782.5			252.7	199.3		
NOVEMBER	712.2	748.8			720.6	744.3			244.3	203.8		
DECEMBER	698.8	732.4			758.8	774.5			184.4	161.7		
7 MONTHS	5,212.2	5,077.5	5,148.7	+ 1.4	5,202.5	5,060.8	5,156.7	+ 1.9				
TOTAL YEAR	8,841.5	8,756.3			8,913.2	8,779.5						

DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	487.2	526.6	527.1	+ 0.1	69.0	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	99.8	106.5	119.5	+ 12.2
FEBRUARY	464.7	508.4	537.1	+ 5.6	75.2	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	86.4	81.4	127.2	+ 56.3
MARCH	593.2	563.1	551.3	- 2.1	88.4	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	162.6	123.2	141.3	+ 14.7
APRIL	542.8	512.7	556.0	+ 8.4	74.4	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	109.6	125.8	119.7	- 4.8
MAY	598.3	523.4	532.3	+ 1.7	81.3	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	135.3	138.5	154.8	+ 11.8
JUNE	555.8	530.9	517.7	- 2.5	77.6	84.6	85.7	+ 1.3	143.1	118.3	128.5	+ 8.6
JULY	537.7	522.7	442.0	- 15.4	71.1	70.0	75.7	+ 8.1	149.0	127.2	122.1	- 4.0
AUGUST	546.3	538.5			65.9	80.0			127.5	129.5		
SEPTEMBER	499.8	476.2			73.6	79.4			127.6	113.8		
OCTOBER	577.7	561.2			87.8	89.0			125.1	132.3		
NOVEMBER	496.1	544.8			82.2	86.5			142.3	113.0		
DECEMBER	543.5	563.2			77.5	83.8			137.8	127.5		
7 MONTHS	3,779.7	3,687.8	3,663.5	- 0.7	537.0	552.1	580.1	+ 5.1	885.8	820.9	913.1	+ 11.2
TOTAL YEAR	6,443.1	6,371.7			924.0	970.8			1,546.1	1,437.0		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

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UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA (525) Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump.*		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	497.1	503.2	516.3	+ 2.6	760.0	777.0	789.0	+ 1.5	65.4	64.8	65.4
FEBRUARY	472.7	496.6	521.1	+ 4.9	725.0	769.0	793.0	+ 3.1	65.2	64.6	65.7
MARCH	543.9	570.3	581.6	+ 2.0	824.0	875.0	881.0	+ 0.7	66.0	65.2	66.0
APRIL	562.3	574.7	544.8	- 5.2	865.0	885.0	847.0	- 4.3	65.0	64.9	64.3
MAY	572.1	586.9	568.7	- 3.1	868.0	886.0	859.0R	- 3.1	65.9	66.2	66.2R
JUNE	531.5	545.1	537.8R	- 1.3	797.0	814.0	817.0R	+ 0.4	66.7	67.0	65.8R
JULY	508.4	518.8	501.3P	- 3.4	769.0	786.0	762.0P	- 3.1	66.1	66.0	65.8P
AUGUST	505.9	540.0			779.0	827.0			64.9	65.3	
SEPTEMBER	513.6	559.5			789.0	862.0			65.1	64.9	
OCTOBER	565.7	597.5			869.0	924.0			65.1	64.7	
NOVEMBER	595.9	600.5			923.0	908.0			64.6	66.1	
DECEMBER	577.3	580.1			896.0	884.0			64.4	65.6	
7 MONTHS	3,688.0	3,795.6	3,771.6(P)	- 0.6	5,608.0	5,792.0	5,748.0(P)	- 0.8			
TOTAL YEAR	6,446.4	6,673.2			9,864.0	10,197.0					

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

* - 5 month moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS Seasonally Adjusted-Annual Basis			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,344	6,616	6,664	+ 0.7	9,700	10,210	10,190	- 0.2	12,205	12,820	13,840	+ 8.0
FEBRUARY	6,324	6,596	6,721	+ 1.9	9,700	10,210	10,230	+ 0.2	12,283	12,792	14,041	+ 9.8
MARCH	6,448	6,683	6,692	+ 0.1	9,770	10,250	10,140	- 1.1	13,184	12,294	13,048	+ 6.1
APRIL	6,389	6,594	6,411	- 2.8	9,830	10,160	9,970	- 1.9	12,537	12,280	13,306	+ 8.4
MAY	6,511	6,680	6,541R	- 2.1	9,880	10,090	9,880R	- 2.1	12,535	11,950	12,864	+ 7.6
JUNE	6,603	6,760	6,514R	- 3.6	9,900	10,090	9,900R	- 1.9	12,011	11,563	12,016	+ 3.9
JULY	6,511	6,732	6,547(P)	- 2.7	9,850	10,200	9,950(P)	- 2.5	12,117	12,636	12,214	- 3.3
AUGUST	6,380	6,719			9,830	10,290			11,661	12,526		
SEPTEMBER	6,334	6,717			9,730	10,350			12,336	12,506		
OCTOBER	6,458	6,664			9,920	10,300			12,403	12,457		
NOVEMBER	6,518	6,775			10,090	10,250			12,003	12,647		
DECEMBER	6,582	6,665			10,220	10,160			12,651	13,256		
7 Months Average Annual Rate	6,447	6,666	6,584(P)	- 1.2	9,804	10,173	10,037	- 1.3				

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY - CONSUMERS' STOCKS - ON HAND & IN TRANSIT*					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Pub.by ANPA (525)			U. S. Estimated Total		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	702.4	639.7	616.9	- 3.6	730.9	667.0	643.9	- 3.5	41	36	34	41	36	34
FEBRUARY	711.6	646.4	670.4	+ 3.7	721.7	657.6	683.4	+ 3.9	40	35	36	40	36	36
MARCH	742.5	650.5	683.0	+ 5.0	735.6	646.6	680.3	+ 5.2	40	34	37	41	35	38
APRIL	742.2	642.5	724.0	+12.7	741.4	643.8	726.2	+12.8	41	34	40	41	33	40
MAY	757.1	609.1	748.7	+22.9	775.6	624.7	767.9	+22.9	44	34	42	44	34	43R
JUNE	795.0	625.2	806.0R	+28.9	789.2	620.2	799.6R	+28.9	49	37	46P	48	37	45P
JULY	815.1	668.1	791.0P	+18.4	786.3	644.9	763.5P	+18.4	49	38	46P	47	37	46P
AUGUST	787.1	654.4			747.2	621.5			45	35		45	35	
SEPTEMBER	751.7	611.6			730.6	593.2			40	32		42	31	
OCTOBER	762.4	584.1			762.8	583.5			39	29		39	30	
NOVEMBER	690.1	556.5			711.5	572.5			38	30		37	31	
DECEMBER	660.0	627.6			674.7	640.4			40	38		38	34	

P - Preliminary. R- Revised

*The calculation of U.S. Consumers' days supply is based on consumption in subsequent months. For the most recent months a projected rate of consumption is used. Days supply for the ANPA group has been revised and is now based on consumption in the subsequent month.

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

	OPERATING RATES											
	United States				Canada				North America			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	96.0	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	96	96	100	+ 4.2	96.0	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3
FEBRUARY	97.9	92.7	97.1	+ 4.7	99	97	100	+ 3.1	98.7	95.7	99.1	+ 3.6
MARCH	97.2	96.5	96.9	+ 0.4	100	98	101	+ 3.1	99.2	97.6	99.7	+ 2.2
APRIL	97.2	96.2	96.4	+ 0.2	100	95	100	+ 5.3	99.2	95.3	98.9	+ 3.8
MAY	96.9	98.0	96.7	- 1.3	101	94	99	+ 5.3	99.8	95.2	98.3	+ 3.3
JUNE	97.0	96.1	96.1	-	99	96	97	+ 1.0	98.4	96.0	96.7	+ 0.7
JULY	85.0	91.3	89.2	- 2.3	98	92	77	-16.3	94.7	91.8	81.0	-11.8
AUGUST	76.9	97.1			99	96			92.4	96.3		
SEPTEMBER	87.2	94.5			97	96			93.9	95.5		
OCTOBER	91.0	97.1			100	97			97.3	97.0		
NOVEMBER	93.2	96.4			97	100			95.9	98.9		
DECEMBER	85.0	89.1			97	101			93.2	97.2		
7 MONTHS	95.5	94.9	95.3	+ 0.4	99	95	96	+ 1.1	98.0	95.3	95.9	+ 0.6
TOTAL YEAR	92.1	97.6			98	97			96.6	96.6		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	429	253	176	495	269	658	95	625	3,000
1972	453	281	182	548	283	696	117	659	3,219
1973	432	279	172	575	321	748	161	630	3,318
1974*	425	230	160	562	315	730	158	670	3,250
1974	411	221	154	543	304	705	152	646	3,136
1975	463	254	193	551	299	701	142	632	3,235
1976	479	234	185	589	300	735	136	637	3,295
1977	493	216	187	591	303	743	151	706	3,390
1978	429	199	174	540	307	849	168	667	3,333
1979	446	202	187	614	318	884	186	765	3,602
Canada									
1971	1,969	1,660	358	589	103	24	187	686	5,576
1972	2,079	1,694	408	669	117	37	176	653	5,833
1973	2,122	1,746	434	789	128	55	196	749	6,219
1974*	2,237	1,920	456	807	159	73	192	723	6,567
1974	2,147	1,842	438	775	152	71	185	694	6,304
1975	1,711	1,480	315	570	93	62	145	603	4,979
1976	1,779	1,659	417	727	129	78	181	700	5,670
1977	1,873	1,607	387	739	111	74	204	756	5,751
1978	1,946	1,812	466	848	125	62	220	964	6,443
1979	1,975	1,813	480	755	132	73	229	915	6,372
North America									
1971	2,398	1,913	534	1,084	372	682	282	1,311	8,576
1972	2,532	1,975	590	1,217	400	733	293	1,312	9,052
1973	2,554	2,025	606	1,364	449	803	357	1,379	9,537
1974*	2,662	2,150	616	1,369	474	803	350	1,393	9,817
1974	2,558	2,063	592	1,318	456	776	337	1,340	9,440
1975	2,174	1,734	508	1,121	392	763	287	1,235	8,214
1976	2,258	1,893	602	1,316	429	813	317	1,337	8,965
1977	2,366	1,823	574	1,330	414	817	355	1,462	9,141
1978	2,375	2,011	640	1,388	432	911	388	1,631	9,776
1979	2,421	2,015	667	1,369	450	957	415	1,680	9,974

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association.

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA(1)			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA(1)		
		1979	1980	%Chg.	1979	1980	%Chg.	1979	1980	%Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	116.5	107.2	- 8.0	486.8	538.0	+ 10.5	603.3	645.2	+ 6.9
	2 Q	112.4			462.8			575.2		
	3 Q	103.7			503.4			607.1		
	4 Q	113.2			521.3			634.5		
	Year	445.8			1,974.3			2,420.1		
East North Central	1 Q	52.0	53.9	+ 3.7	443.4	457.9	+ 3.3	495.4	511.8	+ 3.3
	2 Q	51.1			433.3			484.4		
	3 Q	47.2			471.2			518.4		
	4 Q	52.1			465.4			517.5		
	Year	202.4			1,813.3			2,015.7		
West North Central	1 Q	47.5	52.3	+ 10.1	121.4	118.6	- 2.3	168.9	170.9	+ 1.2
	2 Q	45.6			121.0			166.6		
	3 Q	48.4			115.1			163.5		
	4 Q	45.6			122.7			168.3		
	Year	187.1			480.2			667.3		
South Atlantic	1 Q	133.3	204.4	+ 53.3	208.8	169.7	- 18.7	342.1	374.1	+ 9.4
	2 Q	144.0			189.5			333.5		
	3 Q	166.1			154.8			320.9		
	4 Q	171.1			202.1			373.2		
	Year	614.5			755.2			1,369.7		
East South Central	1 Q	73.2	82.0	+ 12.0	30.7	51.6	+ 68.1	103.9	133.6	+ 28.6
	2 Q	79.0			34.4			113.4		
	3 Q	77.2			33.4			110.6		
	4 Q	88.3			33.6			121.9		
	Year	317.7			132.1			449.8		
West South Central	1 Q	210.8	226.6	+ 7.5	13.5	22.5	+ 66.7	224.3	249.1	+ 11.1
	2 Q	225.2			16.7			241.9		
	3 Q	226.3			20.0			246.3		
	4 Q	221.2			22.3			243.5		
	Year	883.5			72.5			956.0		
Mountain	1 Q	49.2	53.0	+ 7.7	60.8	52.8	- 13.2	110.0	105.8	- 3.8
	2 Q	45.5			63.3			108.8		
	3 Q	41.3			49.0			90.3		
	4 Q	50.3			55.8			106.1		
	Year	186.3			228.9			415.2		
Pacific	1 Q	176.8	211.7	+ 19.7	232.7	204.4	- 12.2	409.5	416.1	+ 1.6
	2 Q	181.3			246.0			427.3		
	3 Q	201.3			190.5			391.8		
	4 Q	205.5			246.0			451.5		
	Year	764.9			915.2			1,680.1		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	859.3	991.1	+ 15.3	1,598.1	1,615.5	+ 1.1	2,457.4	2,606.6	+ 6.1
	2 Q	884.1			1,567.0			2,451.1		
	3 Q	911.5			1,537.4			2,448.9		
	4 Q	947.3			1,669.2			2,616.5		
	Year	3,602.2			6,371.7			9,973.9		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of metric tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS TOTAL	SHIPMENTS TO UNITED STATES	SHIPMENTS TO CANADA	SHIPMENTS TO OTHER MARKETS	INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS	(525) NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF YEAR
United States								
1968	2,762	2,772	2,671	-	101	24	258	575
1969	3,050	3,051	2,945	-	106	24	266	634
1970	3,142	3,136	3,008	-	128	30	286	680
1971	3,153	3,146	3,000	-	146	37	288	639
1972	3,317	3,330	3,219	-	111	24	298	493
1973	3,391	3,395	3,318	-	77	21	346	547
1974*	3,348	3,347	3,250	-	97	23	-	780
1974	3,230	3,230	3,136	-	94	23	193	750
1975	3,348	3,347	3,235	-	112	19	30	666
1976	3,389	3,381	3,295	-	86	26	52	835
1977	3,512	3,507	3,390	-	117	31	0	722
1978	3,418	3,429	3,333	-	96	20	0	660
1979	3,685	3,689	3,602	-	87	16	132	628
Canada								
1968	7,286	7,345	5,540	612	1,193	184	-	
1969	7,945	7,930	5,822	643	1,465	200	-	
1970	7,808	7,795	5,575	650	1,570	214	-	
1971	7,670	7,586	5,576	654	1,356	301	-	
1972	8,001	8,075	5,833	709	1,533	228	-	
1973	8,292	8,345	6,219	779	1,347	175	-	
1974*	9,023	9,070	6,567	837	1,666	132	-	
1974	8,662	8,706	6,304	804	1,598	130	-	
1975	6,966	7,010	4,979	784	1,247	86	-	
1976	8,088	7,902	5,670	803	1,429	271	-	
1977	8,154	8,169	5,751	824	1,594	256	-	
1978	8,841	8,913	6,443	924	1,546	184	-	
1979	8,756	8,780	6,372	971	1,437	162	-	
North America								
1968	10,048	10,117	8,211	612	1,294	208	258	
1969	10,995	10,981	8,767	643	1,571	224	266	
1970	10,950	10,931	8,583	650	1,698	244	286	
1971	10,823	10,732	8,576	654	1,502	338	288	
1972	11,318	11,405	9,052	709	1,644	252	298	
1973	11,683	11,740	9,537	779	1,424	196	346	
1974*	12,371	12,417	9,817	837	1,763	155	-	
1974	11,892	11,936	9,440	804	1,692	153	193	
1975	10,314	10,357	8,214	784	1,359	105	30	
1976	11,477	11,283	8,965	803	1,515	297	52	
1977	11,666	11,676	9,141	824	1,711	287	0	
1978	12,259	12,342	9,776	924	1,642	204	0	
1979	12,441	12,469	9,974	971	1,524	178	132	

*Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION			TONNAGE LOSS DUE TO NEWSPAPER STRIKES
YEAR	AS REPORTED	48.8 G/M^{2}	
1968	8,461	7,932	168
1969	8,940	8,381	52
1970	8,805	8,271	72
1971	8,923	8,390	94
1972	9,568	9,016	6
1973	9,792	9,249	15
1974	9,330	9,164	25
1975	8,395	8,321	6
1976	8,719	8,688	0
1977	9,279	9,279	5
1978	9,864	9,868	130
1979	10,197	10,190	3

UNITED STATES
NEWSPAPER

CIRCULATION PER HOUSEHOLD

YEAR	U.S. HOUSEHOLDS (000's)	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS)		CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD	
		DAILY	SUNDAY	DAILY	SUNDAY
1960	52,799	58.9	47.7	1.12	0.90
1961	53,557	59.3	48.2	1.11	0.90
1962	54,764	59.9	48.9	1.09	0.89
1963	55,270	58.9	46.8	1.07	0.85
1964	56,149	60.4	48.4	1.08	0.86
1965	57,436	60.4	48.6	1.05	0.85
1966	58,406	61.4	49.3	1.05	0.84
1967	59,236	61.6	49.2	1.04	0.83
1968	60,813	62.0	49.5	1.02	0.81
1969	62,214	62.0	49.7	1.00	0.80
1970	63,401	62.1	49.2	0.98	0.78
1971	64,778	62.2	49.7	0.96	0.77
1972	66,676	62.5	50.0	0.94	0.75
1973	68,251	63.1	51.7	0.92	0.76
1974	69,859	61.9	51.7	0.89	0.74
1975	71,120	60.7	51.1	0.85	0.72
1976	72,867	61.0	51.6	0.84	0.71
1977	74,142	61.5	52.4	0.83	0.71
1978	76,030	62.0	54.0	0.82	0.71
1979	77,330	62.2P	54.4P	0.80	0.70

P - Preliminary.
Source: Department of Commerce and Editor and Publisher.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1980				1981				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1980	1981
Merrill Lynch Economics - August, 1980 Based on Pre 2nd Qtr. data (1,410.8) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,444.7 +1.2	1,410.8 -9.1	1,392.7 -5.0	1,388.7 -1.1	1,391.1 +0.7	1,411.2 +5.9	1,437.1 +7.5	1,459.7 +6.4	1,409.2 -1.6	1,424.8 +1.1
The Conference Board - June, 1980 Based on Rev (second) 1st Qtr. data (1,444.7) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,444.7 +1.2	1,407.1 -10.0	1,390.9 -4.5	1,380.2 -3.0	1,391.8 +3.4	1,418.4 +7.9	1,429.0 +3.0	1,442.3 +3.8	1,405.7 -1.8	1,420.4 +1.0
Chase Econometric - June, 1980 Based on Rev. (second) 1st Qtr. data (1,444.7) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,444.7 +1.2	1,414.4 -8.1	1,392.9 -5.9	1,389.2 -1.1	1,397.7 +2.5	1,409.8 +3.5	1,419.8 +2.9	1,431.7 +3.4	1,410.3 -1.5	1,414.7 +0.3
Copeland Economics - June 1980 Based on Rev. 1st Qtr. data (1,442.6) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,442.6 +0.6	1,410.0 -8.8	1,396.0 -3.9	1,391.0 -1.4	1,393.0 +0.6	1,407.0 +4.1	1,431.0 +7.0	1,457.0 +7.5	1,410.0 -1.5	1,422.0 +0.9

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2
Annual GNP for - 1979 - 1,431.6

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - August, 1980 Based on 2nd Qtr. data (144.7) % Change from next preceding quarter**	152.2 +0.0	144.7 -18.2	140.8 -10.4	140.5 -0.8	141.4 +2.5	145.9 +13.4	150.8 +14.0	155.0 +11.7	144.6 -5.0	148.3 +2.6

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES-BY MEDIA-PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T.V.	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.8	5.6	3.4	15.1	1.2	55.1	18.1	6.8	20.0
1975	30.0	5.2	3.3	14.6	1.2	54.3	18.7	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.2	1.1	53.1	20.0	6.9	20.0
1977	29.4	5.7	3.2	13.6	1.1	53.0	20.1	6.9	20.0
1978	28.9	5.9	3.2	13.6	1.1	52.7	20.4	6.9	20.0
1979	29.3	5.9	3.2	13.3	1.1	52.8	20.4	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			Tons	% Change
1966	2,309	8,054	10,363	-
1967	2,580	8,431	11,011	+ 6.3
1968	2,881	8,759	11,640	+ 5.7
1969	3,061	8,777	11,838	+ 1.7
1970	3,205	8,931	12,136	+ 2.5
1971	3,304	9,290	12,594	+ 3.8
1972	3,351	9,344	12,695	+ 0.8
1973	3,465	9,378	12,843	+ 1.2
1974	3,528	9,502	13,030	+ 1.5
	REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN G/M² (3)			
1974	3,377	9,106	12,483	-
1975	3,582	9,222	12,804	+ 2.6
1975	3,582	Revised 8,974(4)	12,556	-
1976	3,641	9,000	12,641	+ 0.7
1977	3,691	8,983	12,674	+ 0.3
1978	3,710R	8,946	12,656R	- 0.1
1979	3,776R	9,060R	12,836R	+ 1.4
1980	4,258R	9,160R	13,418R	+ 4.5
1981	4,679R	9,450P	14,129P	+ 5.3
1982	4,964R	10,000P	14,964P	+ 5.9
1983	4,980R	10,200P	15,180P	+ 1.4

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979, plus subsequent revisions reflecting changes announced since that time.

(2) Source: CPPA. P - Preliminary
NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the grams per square meter (g/m^2) of newsprint from 52 to 48.8. A given area of printing surface of 48.8 g/m^2 paper weighs less than the same area of 52 g/m^2 paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES *

(In metric tons)

Company	Mill	Date	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, VA	Early '80	159,000	-	159,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, LA	April '80	172,000	-	172,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, CA	Mid '81	34,000	-	34,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	2nd qtr.'81	190,000	-	190,000
Publishers	Newberg, OR	Early '81	190,000	-	190,000
St. Regis	Houston, TX	Mid '81	130,000	-	130,000
1984					
Kruger/Mississippi	Grenada County, MS	1984**	200,000	-	200,000
Canadian Mills					
1980					
Abitibi-Price	Stephenville, NFLD	Late '80	145,000	-	145,000
Abitibi-Price	Kenogami, QUE	Early '80	30,000	-	30,000
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '80	40,000	-	40,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1980	30,000	-	30,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Mid '80	16,000	-	16,000
Kruger	Three Rivers, QUE	Late '80	18,000	-	18,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, BC	1980	50,000	-	50,000
1981					
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '81	30,000	-	30,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1981	20,000	-	20,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Early '81	25,000	-	25,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	1981	23,000	-	23,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	Early '81	160,000	-	160,000
1982					
Abitibi-Price	Iroquois Falls, ONT	Mid '82	18,000	-	18,000
British Columbia	Crofton, BC	Early '82	175,000	-	175,000
Canadian Int.	Dalhousie, NB	Mid '80	100,000	-	100,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Belgo, QUE	1982	40,000	-	40,000
Crown	Elk Falls, BC	Early '82	180,000	-	180,000
Donohue-Normick	Amos, QUE	1982	150,000	-	150,000
Ontario	Thorold, ONT	1982	26,000	64,000(5)	90,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements

**Mill built by 1983

(5) Groundwood Specialties

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NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT**

REPORT FOR AUGUST 1980

Inventories at publishers and mills, combined, have been relatively flat since the end of June -- at a level about 25% above year-end, 1979.

INVENTORY M TONS	1979 12/31	1980 6/30	7/31	8/31
Publisher	628	806	793	799
Mills: U.S.	16	36	27	30
Canada	162	192	154	183
TOTAL	806	1,034	974	1,012

(Thousands of Metric Tons)	AUGUST 1979	AUGUST 1980	% Change	8 MOS. YEAR TO DATE 1979	1980	% Change	Details On Page No. *
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS							
NORTH AMERICA							
Production	1,060	1,065	+ 0.5	8,222	8,653	+ 5.2	2
% of Capacity	96.3	92.4	- 4.0	95.4	95.5	+ 0.1	6
Shipments	1,070	1,033	- 3.4	8,217	8,618	+ 4.9	2
UNITED STATES							
Production	324	374	+ 15.6	2,408	2,813	+ 16.8	3
% of Capacity	97.1	97.3	+ 0.2	95.2	95.5	+ 0.3	6
Shipments	322	371	+ 15.3	2,408	2,799	+ 16.3	3
CANADA							
Production	736	691	- 6.1	5,814	5,840	+ 0.5	4
% of Capacity	96	90	- 6.3	97	95	- 2.1	6
Shipments	748	662	- 11.5	5,809	5,819	+ 0.2	4
U.S. Consumption							
(525) ANPA Newspapers	540	525P	- 2.7	4,336	4,294	- 1.0	5
Estimated Total	827	804P	- 2.8	6,619	6,550	- 1.0	
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	654	799P	+ 22.1	▨	▨	▨	6
North American Mills – Stocks	210	213	+ 1.3	▨	▨	▨	2

*** Additional information proceeds as follows: Graph – 1; Shipments by Destination – 7 & 8; Historical Data – 9; Circulations – 9; Forecasts of U.S. Economy – 10; Capacity Information – 11.**

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

Abitibi Southern Corporation
Bear Island Paper Company
Boise Cascade Corporation
Boise Southern Company
Bowater Incorporated
Crown Zellerbach Corporation
Field Enterprises, Inc.
Garden State Paper Company
Great Northern Paper Company
Inland Empire Paper Company
International Paper Company
North Pacific Paper Company
Publishers Paper Company
Southland Paper Division
 of St.Regis Paper Co.
Southeast Paper Mfg. Company
Southwest Forest Industries

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.
** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing
P- Preliminary

In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., and the U.S. Bureau of Census.

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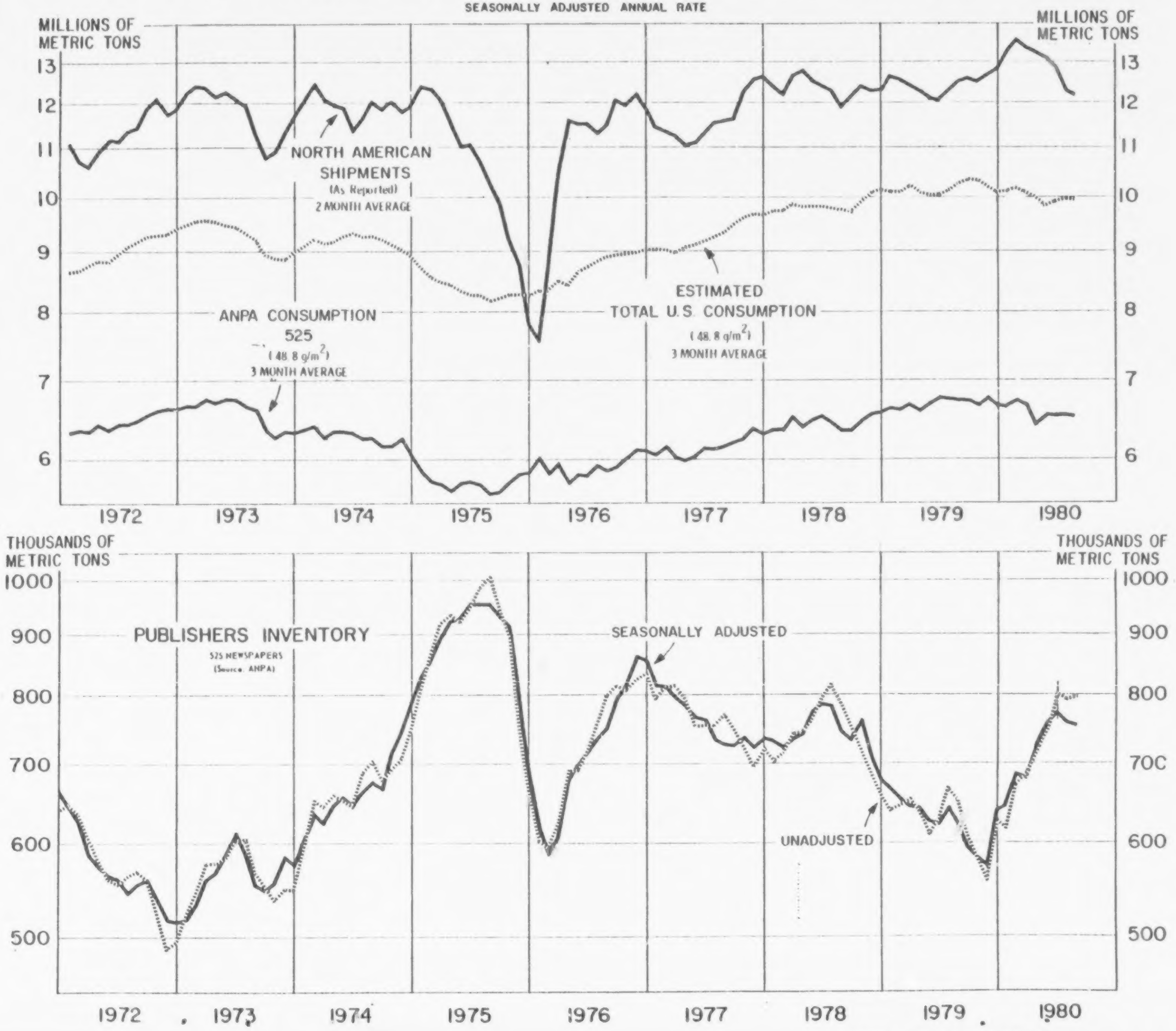
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE



NEWSPRINT DIVISION AMERICAN PAPER INSTITUTE

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

NORTH AMERICA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,026.6	1,039.5	1,119.9	+ 7.7	936.7	995.7	1,063.3	+ 6.8	376.5	248.5	234.6	- 5.6
FEBRUARY	977.2	964.3	1,071.9	+ 11.2	906.9	940.2	1,077.7	+ 14.6	446.7	272.6	228.8	- 16.1
MARCH	1,067.7	1,066.0	1,140.3	+ 7.0	1,167.1	1,080.9	1,128.6	+ 4.4	347.7	257.8	240.5	- 6.7
APRIL	1,058.4	1,015.1	1,105.4	+ 8.9	1,022.0	1,013.1	1,108.8	+ 9.4	384.0	259.9	237.2	- 8.7
MAY	1,069.6	1,030.3	1,134.3	+ 10.1	1,121.0	1,055.5	1,138.5	+ 7.9	332.8	234.6	232.9	- 0.7
JUNE	1,038.7	1,025.5	1,073.7	+ 4.7	1,083.6	1,037.8	1,078.4	+ 3.9	288.0	222.4	228.3	+ 2.7
JULY	988.4	1,021.4	942.0	- 7.8	980.5	1,023.5	989.3	- 3.3	295.9	220.4	180.9	- 17.9
AUGUST	995.8	1,059.7	1,065.3	+ 0.5	991.0	1,069.9	1,033.3	- 3.4	300.4	210.2	212.9	+ 1.3
SEPTEMBER	979.8	1,001.8			988.0	974.5			292.1	237.5		
OCTOBER	1,074.7	1,099.4			1,092.1	1,116.0			274.9	220.9		
NOVEMBER	1,003.1	1,078.5			1,012.3	1,071.8			265.6	227.6		
DECEMBER	979.3	1,039.6			1,040.6	1,089.2			204.4	178.0		
8 MONTHS	8,222.4	8,221.8	8,652.8	+ 5.2	8,208.8	8,216.6	8,617.9	+ 4.9				
TOTAL YEAR	12,259.3	12,441.1			12,341.8	12,468.1						

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	764.4	802.5	852.3	+ 6.2	69.0	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	103.3	116.6	130.4	+ 11.8
FEBRUARY	735.9	783.6	859.1	+ 9.6	75.2	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	95.8	84.3	138.7	+ 64.5
MARCH	905.9	871.3	895.2	+ 2.7	88.4	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	172.8	132.6	148.7	+ 12.1
APRIL	830.8	798.8	884.0	+ 10.7	74.4	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	116.8	131.0	137.8	+ 5.2
MAY	895.9	824.1	885.9	+ 7.5	81.3	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	143.8	143.1	166.1	+ 16.1
JUNE	849.8	828.2	854.6	+ 3.2	77.6	84.6	85.7	+ 1.3	156.2	125.0	138.3	+ 10.6
JULY	756.9	822.0	763.8	- 7.1	71.1	70.0	75.7	+ 8.1	152.5	131.5	149.8	+ 13.9
AUGUST	795.2	852.3	815.9	- 4.3	65.9	80.0	73.6	- 8.0	129.9	137.6	143.8	+ 4.5
SEPTEMBER	776.0	774.6			73.6	79.4			138.4	120.5		
OCTOBER	868.5	885.0			87.8	89.0			135.8	142.0		
NOVEMBER	779.7	862.9			82.2	86.5			150.4	122.4		
DECEMBER	817.2	868.6			77.5	83.8			145.9	136.8		
8 MONTHS	6,534.8	6,582.8	6,810.6	+ 3.5	602.9	632.1	653.7	+ 3.4	1,071.1	1,001.7	1,153.6	+ 15.2
TOTAL YEAR	9,776.2	9,973.9			924.0	970.8			1,641.6	1,523.4		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	UNITED STATES											
	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	288.6	286.1	342.9	+ 19.9	280.7	286.0	336.1	+ 17.5	38.7	20.1	23.1	+ 14.9
FEBRUARY	278.9	279.7	334.0	+ 19.4	280.6	278.1	333.5	+ 19.9	37.0	21.7	23.6	+ 8.8
MARCH	316.1	315.5	357.9	+ 13.4	322.9	317.6	351.3	+ 10.6	30.2	19.6	30.2	+ 54.1
APRIL	299.2	289.2	339.2	+ 17.3	295.2	291.3	346.1	+ 18.8	34.2	17.5	23.3	+ 33.1
MAY	302.4	307.3	367.7	+ 19.7	306.1	305.3	364.9	+ 19.5	30.6	19.5	26.1	+ 33.8
JUNE	303.8	305.8	356.5	+ 16.6	307.1	304.0	346.5	+ 14.0	27.3	21.3	36.1	+ 69.5
JULY	225.4	301.0	340.6	+ 13.2	222.7	303.6	349.5	+ 15.1	30.1	18.8	27.2	+ 44.7
AUGUST	246.4	323.4	373.7	+ 15.6	251.3	321.9	371.3	+ 15.3	25.1	20.3	29.5	+ 45.3
SEPTEMBER	289.2	305.9			287.0	305.1			27.2	21.1		
OCTOBER	296.4	334.0			301.5	333.5			22.2	21.6		
NOVEMBER	290.9	329.7			291.7	327.5			21.3	23.8		
DECEMBER	280.5	307.2			281.8	314.7			20.0	16.3		
8 MONTHS	2,260.8	2,408.0	2,812.5	+ 16.8	2,266.6	2,407.8	2,799.2	+ 16.3				
TOTAL YEAR	3,417.8	3,684.8			3,428.6	3,688.6						

	DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS								SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES			
	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	277.2	275.9	325.2	+ 17.9	3.5	10.1	10.9	+ 7.9	0	7.0	8.4	+ 20.0
FEBRUARY	271.2	275.2	322.0	+ 17.0	9.4	2.9	11.5	+296.6	0	12.1	23.1	+ 90.9
MARCH	312.7	308.2	343.9	+ 11.6	10.2	9.4	7.4	- 21.3	0	2.3	8.5	+269.6
APRIL	288.0	286.1	328.0	+ 14.6	7.2	5.2	18.1	+248.1	0	9.4	2.5	- 73.4
MAY	297.6	300.7	353.6	+ 17.6	8.5	4.6	11.3	+145.7	0	18.5	25.8	+ 39.5
JUNE	294.0	297.3	336.7	+ 13.3	13.1	6.7	9.8	+ 46.3	0	17.4	10.4	- 40.2
JULY	219.2	299.3	321.8	+ 7.5	3.5	4.3	27.7	+544.2	0	16.6	10.1	- 39.2
AUGUST	248.9	313.8	349.5	+ 11.4	2.4	8.1	21.8	+169.1	0	7.0		
SEPTEMBER	276.2	298.4			10.8	6.7			0	1.8		
OCTOBER	290.8	323.8			10.7	9.7			0	12.5		
NOVEMBER	283.6	318.1			8.1	9.4			0	15.7		
DECEMBER	273.7	305.4			8.1	9.3			0	11.6		
8 MONTHS	2,208.8	2,356.5	2,680.7	+ 13.8	57.8	51.3	118.5	+131.0	(7 mos.)	83.3	88.8	+ 6.6
TOTAL YEAR	3,333.1	3,602.2			95.5	86.4			0	131.9		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

CANADA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	738.0	753.4	777.0	+ 3.1	656.0	709.7	727.2	+ 2.5	337.8	228.4	211.5	- 7.4
FEBRUARY	698.3	684.6	737.9	+ 7.8	626.3	662.1	744.2	+ 12.4	409.7	250.9	205.2	- 18.2
MARCH	751.6	750.5	782.4	+ 4.3	844.2	763.3	777.3	+ 1.8	317.5	238.2	210.3	- 11.7
APRIL	759.2	725.9	766.2	+ 5.6	726.8	721.8	762.7	+ 5.7	349.8	242.4	213.9	- 11.8
MAY	767.2	723.0	766.6	+ 6.0	814.9	750.2	773.6	+ 3.1	302.2	215.1	206.8	- 3.9
JUNE	734.9	719.7	717.2	- 0.3	776.5	733.8	731.9	- 0.3	260.7	201.1	192.2	- 4.4
JULY	763.0	720.4	601.4	- 16.5	757.8	719.9	639.8	- 11.1	265.8	201.6	153.7	- 23.8
AUGUST	749.4	736.3	691.6	- 6.1	739.7	748.0	662.0	- 11.5	275.3	189.9	183.4	- 3.4
SEPTEMBER	690.6	695.9			701.0	669.4			264.9	216.4		
OCTOBER	778.3	765.4			790.6	782.5			252.7	199.3		
NOVEMBER	712.2	748.8			720.6	744.3			244.3	203.8		
DECEMBER	698.8	732.4			758.8	774.5			184.4	161.7		
8 MONTHS	5,961.6	5,813.8	5,840.3	+ 0.5	5,942.2	5,808.8	5,818.7	+ 0.2				
TOTAL YEAR	8,841.5	8,756.3			8,913.2	8,779.5						

DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	487.2	526.6	527.1	+ 0.1	69.0	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	99.8	106.5	119.5	+ 12.2
FEBRUARY	464.7	508.4	537.1	+ 5.6	75.2	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	86.4	81.4	127.2	+ 56.3
MARCH	593.2	563.1	551.3	- 2.1	88.4	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	162.6	123.2	141.3	+ 14.7
APRIL	542.8	512.7	556.0	+ 8.4	74.4	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	109.6	125.8	119.7	- 4.8
MAY	598.3	523.4	532.3	+ 1.7	81.3	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	135.3	138.5	154.8	+ 11.8
JUNE	555.8	530.9	517.7	- 2.5	77.6	84.6	85.7	+ 1.3	143.1	118.3	128.5	+ 8.6
JULY	537.7	522.7	442.0	- 15.4	71.1	70.0	75.7	+ 8.1	149.0	127.2	122.1	- 4.0
AUGUST	546.3	538.5	466.4	- 13.4	65.9	80.0	73.6	- 8.0	127.5	129.5	122.0	- 5.8
SEPTEMBER	499.8	476.2			73.6	79.4			127.6	113.8		
OCTOBER	577.7	561.2			87.8	89.0			125.1	132.3		
NOVEMBER	496.1	544.8			82.2	86.5			142.3	113.0		
DECEMBER	543.5	563.2			77.5	83.8			137.8	127.5		
8 MONTHS	4,326.0	4,226.3	4,129.9	- 2.3	602.9	632.1	653.7	+ 3.4	1,013.3	950.4	1,035.1	+ 8.9
TOTAL YEAR	6,443.1	6,371.7			924.0	970.8			1,546.1	1,437.0		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA (525) Newspapers Consumption				Total U. S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U. S. Est. Consump.*		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	497.1	503.2	516.3	+ 2.6	760.0	777.0	790.0R	+ 1.7	65.4	64.8	65.4
FEBRUARY	472.7	496.6	521.1	+ 4.9	725.0	769.0	791.0R	+ 2.9	65.2	64.6	65.9
MARCH	543.9	570.3	581.6	+ 2.0	824.0	875.0	881.0	+ 0.7	66.0	65.2	66.0
APRIL	562.3	574.7	544.8	- 5.2	865.0	885.0	847.0	- 4.3	65.0	64.9	64.3
MAY	572.1	586.9	568.7	- 3.1	868.0	886.0	859.0	- 3.1	65.9	66.2	66.2
JUNE	531.5	545.1	537.8	- 1.3	797.0	814.0	817.0	+ 0.4	66.7	67.0	65.8
JULY	508.4	518.8	498.5R	- 3.9	769.0	786.0	761.0R	- 3.2	66.1	66.0	65.5R
AUGUST	505.9	540.0	525.3P	- 2.7	779.0	827.0	804.0P	- 2.8	64.9	65.3	65.4P
SEPTEMBER	513.6	559.5			789.0	862.0			65.1	64.9	
OCTOBER	565.7	597.5			869.0	924.0			65.1	64.7	
NOVEMBER	595.9	600.5			923.0	908.0			64.6	66.1	
DECEMBER	577.3	580.1			896.0	884.0			64.4	65.6	
8 MONTHS	4,193.9	4,335.6	4,294.1(P)	- 1.0	6,387.0	6,619.0	6,550.0(P)	- 1.0			
TOTAL YEAR	6,446.4	6,673.2			9,864.0	10,197.0					

P - Preliminary.   R - Revised

* - 5 month moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted-Annual Basis			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978R	1979R	1980R	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,344	6,616	6,664	+ 0.7	9,700	10,210	10,190	- 0.2	12,113	12,588	13,565	+ 7.8
FEBRUARY	6,324	6,596	6,742R	+ 2.2	9,700	10,210	10,230	+ 0.2	12,110	12,510	13,658	+ 9.2
MARCH	6,448	6,683	6,692	+ 0.1	9,770	10,250	10,140	- 1.1	13,318	12,446	13,217	+ 6.2
APRIL	6,389	6,594	6,411	- 2.8	9,830	10,160	9,970	- 1.9	12,479	12,152	13,234	+ 8.9
MAY	6,511	6,680	6,541	- 2.1	9,880	10,090	9,880	- 2.1	12,559	12,012	12,968	+ 8.0
JUNE	6,603	6.760	6,514	- 3.6	9,900	10,090	9,900	- 1.9	12,335	12,014	12,702	+ 5.7
JULY	6,511	6,732	6,524R	- 3.1	9,850	10,200	9,960R	- 2.4	12,109	12,569	12,053	- 4.1
AUGUST	6,380	6,719	6,507(P)	- 3.2	9,830	10,290	9,950(P)	- 3.3	11,640	12,451	12,338	- 0.9
SEPTEMBER	6,334	6,717			9,730	10,350			12,402	12,583		
OCTOBER	6,458	6,664			9,920	10,300			12,457	12,434		
NOVEMBER	6,518	6,775			10,090	10,250			12,150	12,726		
DECEMBER	6,582	6,665			10,220	10,160			12,584	13,111		
8 Months Average Annual Rate	6,439	6,672	6,574(P)	- 1.5	9,807	10,187	10,027(P)	- 1.6				

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Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY - CONSUMERS' STOCKS, ON HAND & IN TRANSIT*					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Pub.by ANPA (525)			U. S. Estimated Total		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978R	1979R	1980R	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	702.4	639.7	616.9	- 3.6	742.3	676.9	652.2	- 3.6	41	36	34	41	36	34
FEBRUARY	711.6	646.4	670.4	+ 3.7	730.9	663.3	687.1	+ 3.6	40	35	36	40	36	36
MARCH	742.5	650.5	683.0	+ 5.0	748.4	656.6	688.5	+ 4.9	40	33	37	41	35	38
APRIL	742.2	642.5	724.0	+12.7	740.5	642.1	724.6	+12.8	41	34	40	41	33	40
MAY	757.1	609.1	748.7	+22.9	764.0	613.9	755.5	+23.1	44	33	42	44	34	43
JUNE	795.0	625.2	806.0	+28.9	766.5	600.5	774.3	+28.9	49	37	46	48	37	48R
JULY	815.1	668.1	792.9R	+18.7	779.4	639.0	758.8R	+18.7	49	38	47R	47	37	45P
AUGUST	787.1	654.4	798.7(P)	+22.1	740.2	616.4	752.8(P)	+22.1	45	35	46P	45	35	45P
SEPTEMBER	751.7	611.6			733.1	598.5			40	32		42	31	
OCTOBER	762.4	584.1			774.1	594.0			39	29		39	30	
NOVEMBER	690.1	556.5			714.5	577.0			38	30		37	31	
DECEMBER	660.0	627.6			677.4	642.1			40	38		38	34	

P - Preliminary. R- Revised

*The calculation of U.S. Consumers' days supply is based on consumption in subsequent months. For the most recent months a projected rate of consumption is used. Days supply for the ANPA group has been revised and is now based on consumption in the subsequent month.

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

OPERATING RATES

	United States				Canada				North America			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	96.0	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	96	96	100	+ 4.2	96.0	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3
FEBRUARY	97.9	92.7	97.1	+ 4.7	99	97	100	+ 3.1	98.7	95.7	99.1	+ 3.6
MARCH	97.2	96.5	96.9	+ 0.4	100	98	101	+ 3.1	99.2	97.6	99.7	+ 2.2
APRIL	97.2	96.2	96.4	+ 0.2	100	95	100	+ 5.3	99.2	95.3	98.9	+ 3.8
MAY	96.9	98.0	96.7	- 1.3	101	94	99	+ 5.3	99.8	95.2	98.3	+ 3.3
JUNE	97.0	96.1	96.1	-	99	96	97	+ 1.0	98.4	96.0	96.7	+ 0.7
JULY	85.0	91.3	89.2	- 2.3	98	92	77	-16.3	94.7	91.8	81.0	-11.8
AUGUST	76.9	97.1	97.3	+ 0.2	99	96	90	- 6.3	92.4	96.3	92.4	- 4.0
SEPTEMBER	87.2	94.5			97	96			93.9	95.5		
OCTOBER	91.0	97.1			100	97			97.3	97.0		
NOVEMBER	93.2	96.4			97	100			95.9	98.9		
DECEMBER	85.0	89.1			97	101			93.2	97.2		
8 MONTHS	93.1	95.2	95.5	+ 0.3	99	97	95	- 2.1	97.1	95.4	95.5	+ 0.1
TOTAL YEAR	92.1	97.6			98	97			96.6	96.6		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	429	253	176	495	269	658	95	625	3,000
1972	453	281	182	548	283	696	117	659	3,219
1973	432	279	172	575	321	748	161	630	3,318
1974*	425	230	160	562	315	730	158	670	3,250
1974	411	221	154	543	304	705	152	646	3,136
1975	463	254	193	551	299	701	142	632	3,235
1976	479	234	185	589	300	735	136	637	3,295
1977	493	216	187	591	303	743	151	706	3,390
1978	429	199	174	540	307	849	168	667	3,333
1979	446	202	187	614	318	884	186	765	3,602
Canada									
1971	1,969	1,660	358	589	103	24	187	686	5,576
1972	2,079	1,694	408	669	117	37	176	653	5,833
1973	2,122	1,746	434	789	128	55	196	749	6,219
1974*	2,237	1,920	456	807	159	73	192	723	6,567
1974	2,147	1,842	438	775	152	71	185	694	6,304
1975	1,711	1,480	315	570	93	62	145	603	4,979
1976	1,779	1,659	417	727	129	78	181	700	5,670
1977	1,873	1,607	387	739	111	74	204	756	5,751
1978	1,946	1,812	466	848	125	62	220	964	6,443
1979	1,975	1,813	480	755	132	73	229	915	6,372
North America									
1971	2,398	1,913	534	1,084	372	682	282	1,311	8,576
1972	2,532	1,975	590	1,217	400	733	293	1,312	9,052
1973	2,554	2,025	606	1,364	449	803	357	1,379	9,537
1974*	2,662	2,150	616	1,369	474	803	350	1,393	9,817
1974	2,558	2,063	592	1,318	456	776	337	1,340	9,440
1975	2,174	1,734	508	1,121	392	763	287	1,235	8,214
1976	2,258	1,893	602	1,316	429	813	317	1,337	8,965
1977	2,366	1,823	574	1,330	414	817	355	1,462	9,141
1978	2,375	2,011	640	1,388	432	911	388	1,631	9,776
1979	2,421	2,015	667	1,369	450	957	415	1,680	9,974

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association.

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA(1)			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA(1)		
		1979	1980	%Chg.	1979	1980	%Chg.	1979	1980	%Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	116.5	107.2	- 8.0	486.8	538.0	+ 10.5	603.3	645.2	+ 6.9
	2 Q	112.4	107.5	- 4.4	462.8	529.1	+ 14.3	575.2	636.6	+ 10.7
	3 Q	103.7			503.4			607.1		
	4 Q	113.2			521.3			634.5		
	Year	445.8			1,974.3			2,420.1		
East North Central	1 Q	52.0	53.9	+ 3.7	443.4	457.9	+ 3.3	495.4	511.8	+ 3.3
	2 Q	51.1	57.2	+ 11.9	433.3	446.1	+ 3.0	484.4	503.3	+ 3.9
	3 Q	47.2			471.2			518.4		
	4 Q	52.1			465.4			517.5		
	Year	202.4			1,813.3			2,015.7		
West North Central	1 Q	47.5	52.3	+ 10.1	121.4	118.6	- 2.3	168.9	170.9	+ 1.2
	2 Q	45.6	50.6	+ 11.0	121.0	119.6	- 1.2	166.6	170.2	+ 2.2
	3 Q	48.4			115.1			163.5		
	4 Q	45.6			122.7			168.3		
	Year	187.1			480.2			667.3		
South Atlantic	1 Q	133.3	204.4	+ 53.3	208.8	169.7	- 18.7	342.1	374.1	+ 9.4
	2 Q	144.0	218.8	+ 51.9	189.5	177.1	- 6.5	333.5	395.9	+ 18.7
	3 Q	166.1			154.8			320.9		
	4 Q	171.1			202.1			373.2		
	Year	614.5			755.2			1,369.7		
East South Central	1 Q	73.2	82.0	+ 12.0	30.7	51.6	+ 68.1	103.9	133.6	+ 28.6
	2 Q	79.0	81.4	+ 3.0	34.4	32.4	- 5.8	113.4	113.8	+ 0.4
	3 Q	77.2			33.4			110.6		
	4 Q	88.3			33.6			121.9		
	Year	317.7			132.1			449.8		
West South Central	1 Q	210.8	226.6	+ 7.5	13.5	22.5	+ 66.7	224.3	249.1	+ 11.1
	2 Q	225.2	234.6	+ 4.2	16.7	17.5	+ 4.8	241.9	252.1	+ 4.2
	3 Q	226.3			20.0			246.3		
	4 Q	221.2			22.3			243.5		
	Year	883.5			72.5			956.0		
Mountain	1 Q	49.2	53.0	+ 7.7	60.8	52.8	- 13.2	110.0	105.8	- 3.8
	2 Q	45.5	57.4	+ 26.2	63.3	44.3	- 30.0	108.8	101.7	- 6.5
	3 Q	41.3			49.0			90.3		
	4 Q	50.3			55.8			106.1		
	Year	186.3			228.9			415.2		
Pacific	1 Q	176.8	211.7	+ 19.7	232.7	204.4	- 12.2	409.5	416.1	+ 1.6
	2 Q	181.3	210.8	+ 16.3	246.0	239.9	- 2.5	427.3	450.7	+ 5.5
	3 Q	201.3			190.5			391.8		
	4 Q	205.5			246.0			451.5		
	Year	764.9			915.2			1,680.1		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	859.3	991.1	+ 15.3	1,598.1	1,615.5	+ 1.1	2,457.4	2,606.6	+ 6.1
	2 Q	884.1	1,018.3	+ 15.2	1,567.0	1,606.0	+ 2.5	2,451.1	2,624.3	+ 7.1
	3 Q	911.5			1,537.4			2,448.9		
	4 Q	947.3			1,669.2			2,616.5		
	Year	3,602.2			6,371.7			9,973.9		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic
Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of metric tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS TOTAL	SHIPMENTS TO UNITED STATES	SHIPMENTS TO CANADA	SHIPMENTS TO OTHER MARKETS	INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS	(525) NEWS-PAPER PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF YEAR
United States								
1968	2,762	2,772	2,671	-	101	24	258	575
1969	3,050	3,051	2,945	-	106	24	266	634
1970	3,142	3,136	3,008	-	128	30	286	680
1971	3,153	3,146	3,000	-	146	37	288	639
1972	3,317	3,330	3,219	-	111	24	298	493
1973	3,391	3,395	3,318	-	77	21	346	547
1974*	3,348	3,347	3,250	-	97	23	-	780
1974	3,230	3,230	3,136	-	94	23	193	750
1975	3,348	3,347	3,235	-	112	19	30	666
1976	3,389	3,381	3,295	-	86	26	52	835
1977	3,512	3,507	3,390	-	117	31	0	722
1978	3,418	3,429	3,333	-	96	20	0	660
1979	3,685	3,689	3,602	-	87	16	132	628
Canada								
1968	7,286	7,345	5,540	612	1,193	184	-	
1969	7,945	7,930	5,822	643	1,465	200	-	
1970	7,808	7,795	5,575	650	1,570	214	-	
1971	7,670	7,586	5,576	654	1,356	301	-	
1972	8,001	8,075	5,833	709	1,533	228	-	
1973	8,292	8,345	6,219	779	1,347	175	-	
1974*	9,023	9,070	6,567	837	1,666	132	-	
1974	8,662	8,706	6,304	804	1,598	130	-	
1975	6,966	7,010	4,979	784	1,247	86	-	
1976	8,088	7,902	5,670	803	1,429	271	-	
1977	8,154	8,169	5,751	824	1,594	256	-	
1978	8,841	8,913	6,443	924	1,546	184	-	
1979	8,756	8,780	6,372	971	1,437	162	-	
North America								
1968	10,048	10,117	8,211	612	1,294	208	258	
1969	10,995	10,981	8,767	643	1,571	224	266	
1970	10,950	10,931	8,583	650	1,698	244	286	
1971	10,823	10,732	8,576	654	1,502	338	288	
1972	11,318	11,405	9,052	709	1,644	252	298	
1973	11,683	11,740	9,537	779	1,424	196	346	
1974*	12,371	12,417	9,817	837	1,763	155	-	
1974	11,892	11,936	9,440	804	1,692	153	193	
1975	10,314	10,357	8,214	784	1,359	105	30	
1976	11,477	11,283	8,965	803	1,515	297	52	
1977	11,666	11,676	9,141	824	1,711	287	0	
1978	12,259	12,342	9,776	924	1,642	204	0	
1979	12,441	12,469	9,974	971	1,524	178	132	

*Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

U.S. ESTIMATED NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION YEAR	AS REPORTED	48.8 G/M^2	TONNAGE LOSS DUE TO NEWSPAPER STRIKES
1968	8,461	7,932	168
1969	8,940	8,381	52
1970	8,805	8,271	72
1971	8,923	8,390	94
1972	9,568	9,016	6
1973	9,792	9,249	15
1974	9,330	9,164	25
1975	8,395	8,321	6
1976	8,719	8,688	0
1977	9,279	9,279	5
1978	9,864	9,868	130
1979	10,197	10,190	3

UNITED STATES NEWSPAPERS

CIRCULATIONS

YEAR	ADVER. % OF TOTAL PAPERS	U.S. HOUSEHOLDS (000's)	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) DAILY	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) SUNDAY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD DAILY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD SUNDAY
1960	N	52,799	58.9	47.7	1.12	0.90
1961	A O	53,557	59.3	48.2	1.11	0.90
1962	V T	54,764	59.9	48.9	1.09	0.89
1963	A	55,270	58.9	46.8	1.07	0.85
1964	I	56,149	60.4	48.4	1.08	0.86
1965	L	57,436	60.4	48.6	1.05	0.85
1966	A	58,406	61.4	49.3	1.05	0.84
1967	B	59,236	61.6	49.2	1.04	0.83
1968	L	60,813	62.0	49.5	1.02	0.81
1969	E	62,214	62.0	49.7	1.00	0.80
1970	61.5	63,401	62.1	49.2	0.98	0.78
1971	62.6	64,778	62.2	49.7	0.96	0.77
1972	64.4	66,676	62.5	50.0	0.94	0.75
1973	65.5	68,251	63.1	51.7	0.92	0.76
1974	65.6	69,859	61.9	51.7	0.89	0.74
1975	63.7	71,120	60.7	51.1	0.85	0.72
1976	63.5	72,867	61.0	51.6	0.84	0.71
1977	63.1	74,142	61.5	52.4	0.83	0.71
1978	63.4	76,030	62.0	54.0	0.82	0.71
1979	63.7	77,330	62.2P	54.4P	0.80	0.70

P - Preliminary.
Source: Media Records, Department of Commerce and Editor and Publisher

FORECASTS OF U.S. ECONOMY

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1980				1981				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1980	1981
Merrill Lynch Economics - September 1980										
Based on Rev. 2nd qtr. data (1,410.9)	1,444.7	1,410.9	1,401.7	1,396.7	1,406.2	1,426.2	1,447.2	1,465.6	1,413.5	1,436.3
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 1.2	- 9.0	- 2.6	- 1.4	+ 2.7	+ 5.8	+ 6.0	+ 5.2	- 1.3	+ 1.6
The Conference Board - July, 1980										
Based on Pre. 2nd qtr. data (1,410.8)	1,444.7	1,410.8	1,389.1	1,392.6	1,405.2	1,425.4	1,432.3	1,436.5	1,409.3	1,424.8
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 1.2	- 9.1	- 6.0	+ 1.0	+ 3.7	+ 5.9	+ 1.9	+ 1.2	- 1.6	+ 1.1
Chase Econometric - July, 1980										
Based on Pre. 2nd qtr. data (1,410.8)	1,444.7	1,410.8	1,390.5	1,389.2	1,399.0	1,409.8	1,421.3	1,431.4	1,408.8	1,415.4
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 1.2	- 9.1	- 5.6	- 0.4	+ 2.9	+ 3.1	+ 3.3	+ 2.9	- 1.6	+ 0.5
Copeland Economics - June, 1980										
Based on Rev. 1st qtr. data (1,442 6)	1,442.6	1,410.0	1,396.0	1,391.0	1,393.0	1,407.0	1,431.0	1,457.0	1,410.0	1,422.0
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 0.6	- 8.8	- 3.9	- 1.4	+ 0.6	+ 4.1	+ 7.0	+ 7.5	- 1.5	+ 0.9

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars

Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5

Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2

Annual GNP for - 1979 - 1,431 6

2nd Qtr. Rev. (Second) data = 1408.6

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4

* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - September, 1980										
Based on 2nd qtr. data (144.5)	152.2	144.5	138.3	138.5	141.6	147.3	152.4	156.1	143.5	149.3
% Change from next preceding quarter**	+ 0.0	- 18.8	- 14.8	- 1.0	+ 9.3	+ 17.1	+ 14.5	+ 10.2	- 5.7	+ 4.1

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES-BY MEDIA-PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T.V.	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29 0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.8	5.6	3.4	15.1	1.2	55.1	18.1	6.8	20.0
1975	30.0	5.2	3.3	14.6	1.2	54.3	18.7	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.2	1.1	53.1	20.0	6.9	20.0
1977	29.4	5.7	3.2	13.6	1.1	53.0	20.1	6.9	20.0
1978	28.9	5.9	3.2	13.6	1.1	52.7	20.4	6.9	20.0
1979	29.3	5.9	3.2	13.3	1.1	52.8	20.4	6.8	20.0

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			Tons	% Change
1966	2,309	8,054	10,363	-
1967	2,580	8,431	11,011	+ 6.3
1968	2,881	8,759	11,640	+ 5.7
1969	3,061	8,777	11,838	+ 1.7
1970	3,205	8,931	12,136	+ 2.5
1971	3,304	9,290	12,594	+ 3.8
1972	3,351	9,344	12,695	+ 0.8
1973	3,465	9,378	12,843	+ 1.2
1974	3,528	9,502	13,030	+ 1.5
REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN G/M² (3)				
1974	3,377	9,106	12,483	-
1975	3,582	9,222	12,804	+ 2.6
1975	3,582	Revised 8,974 (4)	12,556	-
1976	3,641	9,000	12,641	+ 0.7
1977	3,691	8,983	12,674	+ 0.3
1978	3,710R	8,982R	12,692R	+ 0.1
1979	3,776R	9,063R	12,839R	+ 1.2
1980	4,258R	9,160P	13,418R	+ 4.5
1981	4,679R	9,450P	14,129P	+ 5.3
1982	4,964R	10,000P	14,964P	+ 5.9
1983	4,980R	10,200P	15,180P	+ 1.4

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979, plus subsequent revisions reflecting changes announced since that time.

(2) Source: CPPA. P - Preliminary
NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the grams per square meter (g/m^2) of newsprint from 52 to 48.8. A given area of printing surface of 48.8 g/m^2 paper weighs less than the same area of 52 g/m^2 paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

(In metric tons)

Company	Mill	Date	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, VA	Early '80	159,000	-	159,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, LA	April '80	172,000	-	172,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, CA	Mid '81	34,000	-	34,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	2nd qtr.'81	190,000	-	190,000
Publishers	Newberg, OR	Early '81	190,000	-	190,000
St. Regis	Houston, TX	Mid '81	130,000	-	130,000
1984					
Kroger/Mississippi	Grenada County, MS	1984**	200,000	-	200,000
Canadian Mills					
1980					
Abitibi-Price	Stephenville, NFLD	Late '80	145,000	-	145,000
Abitibi-Price	Kenogami, QUE	Early '80	30,000	-	30,000
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '80	40,000	-	40,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1980	30,000	-	30,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Mid '80	16,000	-	16,000
Kruger	Three Rivers, QUE	Late '80	18,000	-	18,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, BC	1980	50,000	-	50,000
1981					
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '81	30,000	-	30,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1981	20,000	-	20,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Early '81	25,000	-	25,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	1981	23,000	-	23,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	Early '81	160,000	-	160,000
1982					
Abitibi-Price	Iroquois Falls, ONT	Mid '82	18,000	-	18,000
British Columbia	Crofton, BC	Early '82	175,000	-	175,000
Canadian Int.	Dalhousie, NB	Mid '82	100,000	-	100,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Belgo, QUE	1982	40,000	-	40,000
Crown	Elk Falls, BC	Early '82	180,000	-	180,000
Donohue-Normick	Amos, QUE	1982	150,000	-	150,000
Ontario	Thorold, ONT	1982	26,000	64,000(5)	90,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements

**Mill built by 1983

(5) Groundwood Specialties

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NEWSPRINT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT **

REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 1980

Newsprint mills in the United States shipped 16.1% more newsprint during the first nine months of 1980 than during the comparable period of 1979. Canadian mills shipped 0.3% less newsprint during the same period.

U.S. consumption of newsprint, cumulative to September 30, was down -1.5%.

(Thousands of Metric Tons)	SEPTEMBER			9 MOS. YEAR TO DATE			Details On Page No. *
	1979	1980	% Change	1979	1980	% Change	
PRODUCTION AND SHIPMENTS							
NORTH AMERICA							
Production	1,002	1,003	+ 0.1	9,224	9,656	+ 4.7	2
% of Capacity	95.5	90.7	- 5.0	95.4	95.0	- 0.4	6
Shipments	974	993	+ 1.9	9,191	9,611	+ 4.6	2
UNITED STATES							
Production	306	353	+15.3	2,714	3,165	+16.6	3
% of Capacity	94.5	91.9	- 2.8	95.1	95.1	-	6
Shipments	305	350	+14.8	2,713	3,150	+16.1	3
CANADA							
Production	696	650	- 6.5	6,510	6,491	- 0.3	4
% of Capacity	96	90	- 6.3	97	95	- 2.1	6
Shipments	669	643	- 4.0	6,478	6,461	- 0.3	4
U.S. Consumption							
(525) ANPA Newspapers	559	530P	- 5.2	4,895	4,833	- 1.3	5
Estimated Total	862	[illegible]	- 5.6	7,481	7,378	- 1.4	
Publishers Stock (525) ANPA Newspapers	612	783P	+28.1				6
North American Mills - Stocks	237	223	- 6.0				2

* Additional information proceeds as follows: Graph - 1; Shipments by Destination - 7 & 8; Historical Data - 9; Circulations - 9; Forecasts of U.S. Economy - 10; Capacity Information - 11.

UNITED STATES COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN REPORT

- Abitibi Southern Corporation
- Bear Island Paper Company
- Boise Cascade Corporation
- Boise Southern Company
- Bowater Incorporated
- Crown Zellerbach Corporation
- Field Enterprises, Inc.
- Garden State Paper Company
- Great Northern Paper Company
- Inland Empire Paper Company
- International Paper Company
- North Pacific Paper Company
- Publishers Paper Company
- Southland Paper Division of St.Regis Paper Co.
- Southeast Paper Mfg. Company
- Southwest Forest Industries

Data for non-reporting company has been estimated.

** Includes Newsprint and other papers for Newspaper Publishing

P- Preliminary

In addition to the above contributing companies, the inputs for this report are dependent upon data received from the Canadian Pulp & Paper Assoc., the American Newspaper Publishers Assoc., and the U.S. Bureau of Census.

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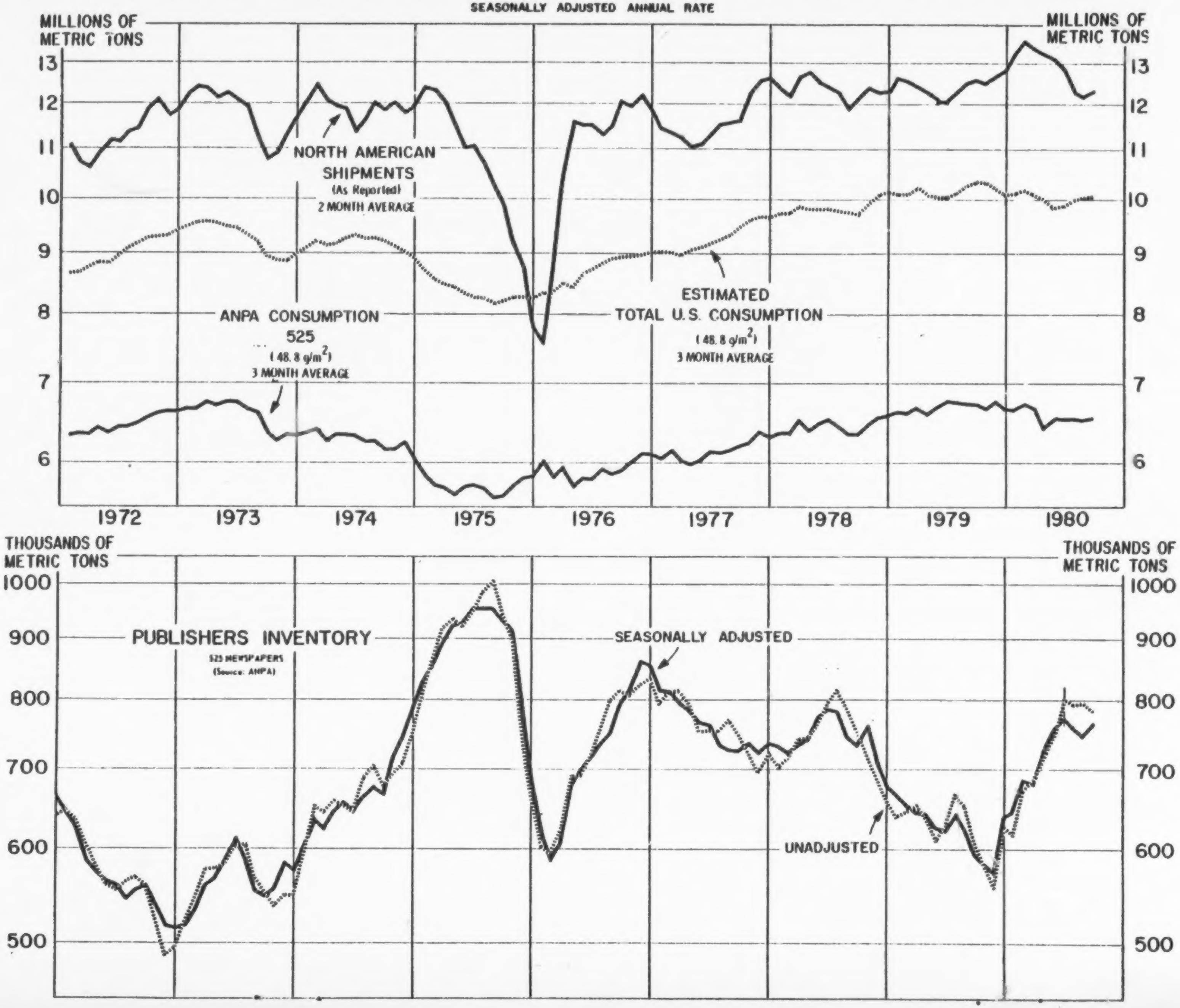
TOTAL UNITED STATES NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION and TOTAL NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS FROM NORTH AMERICA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATE



NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

NORTH AMERICA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	1,026.6	1,039.5	1,119.9	+ 7.7	936.7	995.7	1,063.3	+ 6.8	376.5	248.5	234.6	- 5.6
FEBRUARY	977.2	964.3	1,071.9	+ 11.2	906.9	940.2	1,077.7	+ 14.6	446.7	272.6	228.8	- 16.1
MARCH	1,067.7	1,066.0	1,140.3	+ 7.0	1,167.1	1,080.9	1,128.6	+ 4.4	347.7	257.8	240.5	- 6.7
APRIL	1,058.4	1,015.1	1,105.4	+ 8.9	1,022.0	1,013.1	1,108.8	+ 9.4	384.0	259.9	237.2	- 8.7
MAY	1,069.6	1,030.3	1,134.3	+ 10.1	1,121.0	1,055.5	1,138.5	+ 7.9	332.8	234.6	232.9	- 0.7
JUNE	1,038.7	1,025.5	1,073.7	+ 4.7	1,083.6	1,037.8	1,078.4	+ 3.9	288.0	222.4	228.3	+ 2.7
JULY	988.4	1,021.4	942.0	- 7.8	980.5	1,023.5	989.3	- 3.3	295.9	220.4	180.9	- 17.9
AUGUST	995.8	1,059.7	1,065.3	+ 0.5	991.0	1,069.9	1,033.3	- 3.4	300.4	210.2	212.9	+ 1.3
SEPTEMBER	979.8	1,001.8	1,003.3	+ 0.1	988.0	974.5	992.9	- 1.9	292.1	237.5	223.3	- 6.0
OCTOBER	1,074.7	1,099.4			1,092.1	1,116.0			274.9	220.9		
NOVEMBER	1,003.1	1,078.5			1,012.3	1,071.8			265.6	227.6		
DECEMBER	979.3	1,039.6			1,040.6	1,089.2			204.4	178.0		
9 MONTHS	9,202.2	9,223.6	9,656.1	+ 4.7	9,196.8	9,191.1	9,610.8	+ 4.6				
TOTAL YEAR	12,259.3	12,441.1			12,341.8	12,468.1						

DISTRIBUTION OF NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	764.4	802.5	852.3	+ 6.2	69.0	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	103.3	116.6	130.4	+ 11.8
FEBRUARY	735.9	783.6	859.1	+ 9.6	75.2	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	95.8	84.3	138.7	+ 64.5
MARCH	905.9	871.3	895.2	+ 2.7	88.4	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	172.8	132.6	148.7	+ 12.1
APRIL	830.8	798.8	884.0	+ 10.7	74.4	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	116.8	131.0	137.8	+ 5.2
MAY	895.9	824.1	885.9	+ 7.5	81.3	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	143.8	143.1	166.1	+ 16.1
JUNE	849.8	828.2	854.4	+ 3.2	77.6	84.6	85.7	+ 1.3	156.2	125.0	138.3	+ 10.6
JULY	756.9	822.0	763.8	- 7.1	71.1	70.0	75.7	+ 8.1	152.5	131.5	149.8	+ 13.9
AUGUST	795.2	852.3	815.9	- 4.3	65.9	80.0	73.6	- 8.0	129.9	137.6	143.8	+ 4.5
SEPTEMBER	776.0	774.6	807.6	+ 4.3	73.6	79.4	76.7	- 3.4	138.4	120.5	108.6	- 9.9
OCTOBER	868.5	885.0			87.8	89.0			135.8	142.0		
NOVEMBER	779.7	862.9			82.2	86.5			150.4	122.4		
DECEMBER	817.2	868.6			77.5	83.8			145.9	136.8		
9 MONTHS	7,310.8	7,357.4	7,618.2	+ 3.5	676.5	711.5	730.4	+ 2.7	1,209.5	1,122.2	1,262.2	+ 12.5
TOTAL YEAR	9,776.2	9,973.9			924.0	970.8			1,641.6	1,523.4		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	288.6	286.1	342.9	+ 19.9	280.7	286.0	336.1	+ 17.5	38.7	20.1	23.1	+ 14.9
FEBRUARY	278.9	279.7	334.0	+ 19.4	280.6	278.1	333.5	+ 19.9	37.0	21.7	23.6	+ 8.8
MARCH	316.1	315.5	357.9	+ 13.4	322.9	317.6	351.3	+ 10.6	30.2	19.6	30.2	+ 54.1
APRIL	299.2	289.2	339.2	+ 17.3	295.2	291.3	346.1	+ 18.8	34.2	17.5	23.3	+ 33.1
MAY	302.4	307.3	367.7	+ 19.7	306.1	305.3	364.9	+ 19.5	30.6	19.5	26.1	+ 33.8
JUNE	303.8	305.8	356.5	+ 16.6	307.1	304.0	346.5	+ 14.0	27.3	21.3	36.1	+ 69.5
JULY	225.4	301.0	340.6	+ 13.2	222.7	303.6	349.5	+ 15.1	30.1	18.8	27.2	+ 44.7
AUGUST	246.4	323.4	373.7	+ 15.6	251.3	321.9	371.3	+ 15.3	25.1	20.3	29.5	+ 45.3
SEPTEMBER	289.2	305.9	352.7	+ 15.3	287.0	305.1	350.4	+ 14.8	27.2	21.1	31.8	+ 50.7
OCTOBER	296.4	334.0			301.5	333.5			22.2	21.6		
NOVEMBER	290.9	329.7			291.7	327.5			21.3	23.8		
DECEMBER	280.5	307.2			281.8	314.7			20.0	16.3		
9 MONTHS	2,550.0	2,713.9	3,165.2	+ 16.6	2,553.6	2,712.9	3,149.6	+ 16.1				
TOTAL YEAR	3,417.8	3,684.8			3,428.6	3,688.6						

DISTRIBUTION OF UNITED STATES SHIPMENTS

SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES

	To United States				To Other Markets				From Overseas			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	277.2	275.9	325.2	+ 17.9	3.5	10.1	10.9	+ 7.9	0	7.0	8.4	+ 20.0
FEBRUARY	271.2	275.2	322.0	+ 17.0	9.4	2.9	11.5	+296.6	0	12.1	23.1	+ 90.9
MARCH	312.7	308.2	343.9	+ 11.6	10.2	9.4	7.4	- 21.3	0	2.3	8.5	+269.6
APRIL	288.0	286.1	328.0	+ 14.6	7.2	5.2	18.1	+248.1	0	9.4	2.5	- 73.4
MAY	297.6	300.7	353.6	+ 17.6	8.5	4.6	11.3	+145.7	0	18.5	25.8	+ 39.5
JUNE	294.0	297.3	336.7	+ 13.3	13.1	6.7	9.8	+ 46.3	0	17.4	10.4	- 40.2
JULY	219.2	299.3	321.8	+ 7.5	3.5	4.3	27.7	+544.2	0	16.6	10.1	- 39.2
AUGUST	248.9	313.8	349.5	+ 11.4	2.4	8.1	21.8	+169.1	0	7.0	8.1	+ 15.7
SEPTEMBER	276.2	298.4	336.3	+ 12.7	10.8	6.7	14.1	+110.4	0	1.8		
OCTOBER	290.8	323.8			10.7	9.7			0	12.5		
NOVEMBER	283.6	318.1			8.1	9.4			0	15.7		
DECEMBER	273.7	305.4			8.1	9.3			0	11.6		
9 MONTHS	2,485.0	2,654.9	3,017.0	+ 13.6	68.6	58.0	132.6	+128.6	(8 mos.)	90.3	96.9	+ 7.3
TOTAL YEAR	3,333.1	3,602.2			95.5	86.4			0	131.9		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Bureau of Census.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

CANADA

	Production				Shipments				Inventory-End of Month			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	738.0	753.4	777.0	+ 3.1	656.0	709.7	727.2	+ 2.5	337.8	228.4	211.5	- 7.4
FEBRUARY	698.3	684.6	737.9	+ 7.8	626.3	662.1	744.2	+ 12.4	409.7	250.9	205.2	- 18.2
MARCH	751.6	750.5	782.4	+ 4.3	844.2	763.3	777.3	+ 1.8	317.5	238.2	210.3	- 11.7
APRIL	759.2	725.9	766.2	+ 5.6	726.8	721.8	762.7	+ 5.7	349.8	242.4	213.9	- 11.8
MAY	767.2	723.0	766.6	+ 6.0	814.9	750.2	773.6	+ 3.1	302.2	215.1	206.8	- 3.9
JUNE	734.9	719.7	717.2	- 0.3	776.5	733.8	731.9	- 0.3	260.7	201.1	192.2	- 4.4
JULY	763.0	720.4	601.4	- 16.5	757.8	719.9	639.8	- 11.1	265.8	201.6	153.7	- 23.8
AUGUST	749.4	736.3	691.6	- 6.1	739.7	748.0	662.0	- 11.5	275.3	189.9	183.4	- 3.4
SEPTEMBER	690.6	695.9	650.6	- 6.5	701.0	669.4	642.5	- 4.0	264.9	216.4	191.5	- 11.5
OCTOBER	778.3	765.4			790.6	782.5			252.7	199.3		
NOVEMBER	712.2	748.8			720.6	744.3			244.3	203.8		
DECEMBER	698.8	732.4			758.8	774.5			184.4	161.7		
9 MONTHS	6,652.2	6,509.7	6,490.9	- 0.3	6,643.2	6,478.2	6,461.2	- 0.3				
TOTAL YEAR	8,841.5	8,756.3			8,913.2	8,779.5						

DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN SHIPMENTS

	To United States				To Canada				To Other Markets			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	487.2	526.6	527.1	+ 0.1	69.0	76.6	80.6	+ 5.2	99.8	106.5	119.5	+ 12.2
FEBRUARY	464.7	508.4	537.1	+ 5.6	75.2	72.3	79.9	+ 10.5	86.4	81.4	127.2	+ 56.3
MARCH	593.2	563.1	551.3	- 2.1	88.4	77.0	84.7	+ 10.0	162.6	123.2	141.3	+ 14.7
APRIL	542.8	512.7	556.0	+ 8.4	74.4	83.3	87.0	+ 4.4	109.6	125.8	119.7	- 4.8
MAY	598.3	523.4	532.3	+ 1.7	81.3	88.3	86.5	- 2.0	135.3	138.5	154.8	+ 11.8
JUNE	555.8	530.9	517.7	- 2.5	77.6	84.6	85.7	+ 1.3	143.1	118.3	128.5	+ 8.6
JULY	537.7	522.7	442.0	- 15.4	71.1	70.0	75.7	+ 8.1	149.0	127.2	122.1	- 4.0
AUGUST	546.3	538.5	466.4	- 13.4	65.9	80.0	73.6	- 8.0	127.5	129.5	122.0	- 5.8
SEPTEMBER	499.8	476.2	471.3	- 1.0	73.6	79.4	76.7	- 3.4	127.6	113.8	94.5	- 17.0
OCTOBER	577.7	561.2			87.8	89.0			125.1	132.3		
NOVEMBER	496.1	544.8			82.2	86.5			142.3	113.0		
DECEMBER	543.5	563.2			77.5	83.8			137.8	127.5		
9 MONTHS	4,825.8	4,702.5	4,601.2	- 2.2	676.5	711.5	730.4	+ 2.7	1,140.9	1,064.2	1,129.6	+ 6.1
TOTAL YEAR	6,443.1	6,371.7			924.0	970.8			1,546.1	1,437.0		

Source: Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

(In thousands of metric tons)

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

UNITED STATES CONSUMPTION

	ANPA (525) Newspapers Consumption				Total U.S. Estimated Consumption				ANPA (525) To Total of U.S. Est. Consump.*		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	497.1	503.2	516.3	+ 2.6	760.0	777.0	790.0	+ 1.7	65.4	64.8	65.4
FEBRUARY	472.7	496.6	521.1	+ 4.9	725.0	769.0	791.0	+ 2.9	65.2	64.6	65.9
MARCH	543.9	570.3	581.6	+ 2.0	824.0	875.0	881.0	+ 0.7	66.0	65.2	66.6
APRIL	562.3	574.7	544.8	- 5.2	865.0	885.0	847.0	- 4.3	65.0	64.9	64.3
MAY	572.1	586.9	568.7	- 3.1	868.0	886.0	859.0	- 3.1	65.9	66.2	66.2
JUNE	531.5	545.1	537.8	- 1.3	797.0	814.0	817.0	+ 0.4	66.7	67.0	65.8
JULY	508.4	518.8	498.5	- 3.9	769.0	786.0	760.0R	- 3.3	66.1	66.0	65.6R
AUGUST	505.9	540.0	533.4R	- 1.2	779.0	827.0	819.0R	- 1.0	64.9	65.3	65.2R
SEPTEMBER	513.6	559.5	530.5P	- 5.2	789.0	862.0	814.0P	- 5.6	65.1	64.9	65.1P
OCTOBER	565.7	597.5			869.0	924.0			65.1	64.7	
NOVEMBER	595.9	600.5			923.0	908.0			64.6	66.1	
DECEMBER	577.3	580.1			896.0	884.0			64.4	65.6	
9 MONTHS	4,707.5	4,895.1	4,832.7(P)	- 1.3	7,176.0	7,481.0	7,378.0(P)	- 1.4			
TOTAL YEAR	6,446.4	6,673.2			9,864.0	10,197.0					

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

* - 5 month moving Ratio of U.S. Supply to ANPA Supply.

(Seasonally Adjusted)

	ANPA 525 NEWSPAPERS CONSUMPTION				TOTAL U.S. ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION				TOTAL NORTH AMERICAN SHIPMENTS			
	Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seas. Adj. -3 Mon. Moving Avg. -Ann. Basis				Seasonally Adjusted-Annual Basis			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978R	1979R	1980R	% Chg.
JANUARY	6,344	6,616	6,664	+ 0.7	9,700	10,210	10,190	- 0.2	12,113	12,588	13,565	+ 7.8
FEBRUARY	6,324	6,596	6,742	+ 2.2	9,700	10,210	10,230	+ 0.2	12,110	12,510	13,658	+ 9.2
MARCH	6,448	6,683	6,692	+ 0.1	9,770	10,250	10,140	- 1.1	13,318	12,446	13,217	+ 6.2
APRIL	6,389	6,594	6,411	- 2.8	9,830	10,160	9,970	- 1.9	12,479	12,152	13,234	+ 8.9
MAY	6,511	6,680	6,541	- 2.1	9,880	10,090	9,880	- 2.1	12,559	12,012	12,968	+ 8.0
JUNE	6,603	6,760	6,508R	- 3.7	9,900	10,090	9,890R	- 2.0	12,335	12,014	12,702	+ 5.7
JULY	6,511	6,732	6,573R	- 2.4	9,850	10,200	10,020R	- 1.8	12,109	12,569	12,053	- 4.1
AUGUST	6,380	6,719	6,540R	- 2.7	9,830	10,290	10,030R	- 2.5	11,640	12,451	12,338	- 0.9
SEPTEMBER	6,334	6,717	6,575(P)	- 2.1	9,730	10,350	10,100(P)	- 2.4	12,402	12,583	12,385	- 1.6
OCTOBER	6,458	6,664			9,920	10,300			12,457	12,434		
NOVEMBER	6,518	6,775			10,090	10,250			12,150	12,726		
DECEMBER	6,582	6,665			10,220	10,160			12,584	13,111		
9 Months Average Annual Rate	6,427	6,677	6,582 (P)	- 1.4	9,799	10,206	10,050(P)	- 1.5				

P - Preliminary. R - Revised

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT STATISTICS

(In thousands of metric tons)

	525 NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF MONTH								END OF MONTH - DAY'S SUPPLY - CONSUMERS' STOCKS ON HAND & IN TRANSIT*					
	Unadjusted				Seasonally Adjusted				As Pub.by ANPA (525)			U. S. Estimated Total		
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978R	1979R	1980R	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	1978	1979	1980
JANUARY	702.4	639.7	616.9	- 3.6	742.3	676.9	652.2	- 3.6	41	36	34	41	36	34
FEBRUARY	711.6	646.4	670.4	+ 3.7	730.9	663.3	687.1	+ 3.6	40	35	36	40	36	36
MARCH	742.5	650.5	683.0	+ 5.0	748.4	656.6	688.5	+ 4.9	40	33	37	41	35	38
APRIL	742.2	642.5	724.0	+12.7	740.5	642.1	724.6	+12.8	41	34	40	41	33	40
MAY	757.1	609.1	748.7	+22.9	764.0	613.9	755.5	+23.1	44	33	42	44	34	43
JUNE	795.0	625.2	806.0	+28.9	766.5	600.5	774.3	+28.9	49	37	46	48	37	48
JULY	815.1	668.1	792.9	+18.7	779.4	639.0	758.8	+18.7	49	38	47	47	37	45
AUGUST	787.1	654.4	793.1R	+21.2	740.2	616.4	747.5R	+21.3	45	35	45R	45	35	44R
SEPTEMBER	751.7	611.6	783.4(P)	+28.1	733.1	598.5	768.0(P)	+28.3	40	32	42P	42	31	41P
OCTOBER	762.4	584.1			774.1	594.0			39	29		39	30	
NOVEMBER	690.1	556.5			714.5	577.0			38	30		37	31	
DECEMBER	660.0	627.6			677.4	642.1			40	38		38	34	

P - Preliminary. R- Revised

*The calculation of U.S. Consumers' days supply is based on consumption in subsequent months. For the most recent months a projected rate of consumption is used. Days supply for the ANPA group has been revised and is now based on consumption in the subsequent month.

Source: American Newspaper Publishers Association and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

	OPERATING RATES											
	United States				Canada				North America			
	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.	1978	1979	1980	% Chg.
JANUARY	96.0	93.5	94.9	+ 1.5	96	96	100	+ 4.2	96.0	95.3	98.4	+ 3.3
FEBRUARY	97.9	92.7	97.1	+ 4.7	99	97	100	+ 3.1	98.7	95.7	99.1	+ 3.6
MARCH	97.2	96.5	96.9	+ 0.4	100	98	101	+ 3.1	99.2	97.6	99.7	+ 2.2
APRIL	97.2	96.2	96.4	+ 0.2	100	95	100	+ 5.3	99.2	95.3	98.9	+ 3.8
MAY	96.9	98.0	96.7	- 1.3	101	94	99	+ 5.3	99.8	95.2	98.3	+ 3.3
JUNE	97.0	96.1	96.1	-	99	96	97	+ 1.0	98.4	96.0	96.7	+ 0.7
JULY	85.0	91.3	89.2	- 2.3	98	92	77	-16.3	94.7	91.8	81.0	-11.8
AUGUST	76.9	97.1	97.3	+ 0.2	99	96	90	- 6.3	92.4	96.3	92.4	- 4.0
SEPTEMBER	87.2	94.5	91.9	- 2.8	97	96	90	- 6.3	93.9	95.5	90.7	- 5.0
OCTOBER	91.0	97.1			100	97			97.3	97.0		
NOVEMBER	93.2	96.4			97	100			95.9	98.9		
DECEMBER	85.0	89.1			97	101			93.2	97.2		
9 MONTHS	92.4	95.1	95.1	-	99	97	95	- 2.1	96.9	95.4	95.0	- 0.4
TOTAL YEAR	92.1	97.6			98	97			96.6	96.6		

Source: Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association.

NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	North-East	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total Domestic Shipments
United States									
1971	429	253	176	495	269	658	95	625	3,000
1972	453	281	182	548	283	696	117	659	3,219
1973	432	279	172	575	321	748	161	630	3,318
1974*	425	230	160	562	315	730	158	670	3,250
1974	411	221	154	543	304	705	152	646	3,136
1975	463	254	193	551	299	701	142	632	3,235
1976	479	234	185	589	300	735	136	637	3,295
1977	493	216	187	591	303	743	151	706	3,390
1978	429	199	174	540	307	849	168	667	3,333
1979	446	202	187	614	318	884	186	765	3,602
Canada									
1971	1,969	1,660	358	589	103	24	187	686	5,576
1972	2,079	1,694	408	669	117	37	176	653	5,833
1973	2,122	1,746	434	789	128	55	196	749	6,219
1974*	2,237	1,920	456	807	159	73	192	723	6,567
1974	2,147	1,842	438	775	152	71	185	694	6,304
1975	1,711	1,480	315	570	93	62	145	603	4,979
1976	1,779	1,659	417	727	129	78	181	700	5,670
1977	1,873	1,607	387	739	111	74	204	756	5,751
1978	1,946	1,812	466	848	125	62	220	964	6,443
1979	1,975	1,813	480	755	132	73	229	915	6,372
North America									
1971	2,398	1,913	534	1,084	372	682	282	1,311	8,576
1972	2,532	1,975	590	1,217	400	733	293	1,312	9,052
1973	2,554	2,025	606	1,364	449	803	357	1,379	9,537
1974*	2,662	2,150	616	1,369	474	803	350	1,393	9,817
1974	2,558	2,063	592	1,318	456	776	337	1,340	9,440
1975	2,174	1,734	508	1,121	392	763	287	1,235	8,214
1976	2,258	1,893	602	1,316	429	813	317	1,337	8,965
1977	2,366	1,823	574	1,330	414	817	355	1,462	9,141
1978	2,375	2,011	640	1,388	432	911	388	1,631	9,776
1979	2,421	2,015	667	1,369	450	957	415	1,680	9,974

* - Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.
Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association.

NORTH AMERICAN
NEWSPRINT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION

(In thousands of metric tons)

REGION	QUARTER	UNITED STATES			CANADA(1)			TOTAL NORTH AMERICA(1)		
		1979	1980	%Chg.	1979	1980	%Chg.	1979	1980	%Chg.
Northeast*	1 Q	116.5	107.2	- 8.0	486.8	538.0	+ 10.5	603.3	645.2	+ 6.9
	2 Q	112.4	107.5	- 4.4	462.8	529.1	+ 14.3	575.2	636.6	+ 10.7
	3 Q	103.7			503.4			607.1		
	4 Q	113.2			521.3			634.5		
	Year	445.8			1,974.3			2,420.1		
East North Central	1 Q	52.0	53.9	+ 3.7	443.4	457.9	+ 3.3	495.4	511.8	+ 3.3
	2 Q	51.1	57.2	+ 11.9	433.3	446.1	+ 3.0	484.4	503.3	+ 3.9
	3 Q	47.2			471.2			518.4		
	4 Q	52.1			465.4			517.5		
	Year	202.4			1,813.3			2,015.7		
West North Central	1 Q	47.5	52.3	+ 10.1	121.4	118.6	- 2.3	168.9	170.9	+ 1.2
	2 Q	45.6	50.6	+ 11.0	121.0	119.6	- 1.2	166.6	170.2	+ 2.2
	3 Q	48.4			115.1			163.5		
	4 Q	45.6			122.7			168.3		
	Year	187.1			480.2			667.3		
South Atlantic	1 Q	133.3	204.4	+ 53.3	208.8	169.7	- 18.7	342.1	374.1	+ 9.4
	2 Q	144.0	218.8	+ 51.9	189.5	177.1	- 6.5	333.5	395.9	+ 18.7
	3 Q	166.1			154.8			320.9		
	4 Q	171.1			202.1			373.2		
	Year	614.5			755.2			1,369.7		
East South Central	1 Q	73.2	82.0	+ 12.0	30.7	51.6	+ 68.1	103.9	133.6	+ 28.6
	2 Q	79.0	81.4	+ 3.0	34.4	32.4	- 5.8	113.4	113.8	+ 0.4
	3 Q	77.2			33.4			110.6		
	4 Q	88.3			33.6			121.9		
	Year	317.7			132.1			449.8		
West South Central	1 Q	210.8	226.6	+ 7.5	13.5	22.5	+ 66.7	224.3	249.1	+ 11.1
	2 Q	225.2	234.6	+ 4.2	16.7	17.5	+ 4.8	241.9	252.1	+ 4.2
	3 Q	226.3			20.0			246.3		
	4 Q	221.2			22.3			243.5		
	Year	883.5			72.5			956.0		
Mountain	1 Q	49.2	53.0	+ 7.7	60.8	52.8	- 13.2	110.0	105.8	- 3.8
	2 Q	45.5	57.4	+ 26.2	63.3	44.3	- 30.0	108.8	101.7	- 6.5
	3 Q	41.3			49.0			90.3		
	4 Q	50.3			55.8			106.1		
	Year	186.3			228.9			415.2		
Pacific	1 Q	176.8	211.7	+ 19.7	232.7	204.4	- 12.2	409.5	416.1	+ 1.6
	2 Q	181.3	210.8	+ 16.3	246.0	239.9	- 2.5	427.3	450.7	+ 5.5
	3 Q	201.3			190.5			391.8		
	4 Q	205.5			246.0			451.5		
	Year	764.9			915.2			1,680.1		
TOTAL DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	1 Q	859.3	991.1	+ 15.3	1,598.1	1,615.5	+ 1.1	2,457.4	2,606.6	+ 6.1
	2 Q	884.1	1,018.3	+ 15.2	1,567.0	1,606.0	+ 2.5	2,451.1	2,624.3	+ 7.1
	3 Q	911.5			1,537.4			2,448.9		
	4 Q	947.3			1,669.2			2,616.5		
	Year	3,602.2			6,371.7			9,973.9		

* - Includes New England and Middle Atlantic

Source : Newsprint Division, American Paper Institute and Newsprint Section, Canadian Pulp & Paper Association

NEWSPRINT HISTORICAL DATA

(In thousands of metric tons)

YEAR	PRODUCTION	SHIPMENTS TOTAL	SHIPMENTS TO UNITED STATES	SHIPMENTS TO CANADA	SHIPMENTS TO OTHER MARKETS	INVENTORY END OF YEAR	IMPORTS FROM OVERSEAS
United States							
1968	2,762	2,772	2,671	-	101	24	258
1969	3,050	3,051	2,945	-	106	24	266
1970	3,142	3,136	3,008	-	128	30	286
1971	3,153	3,146	3,000	-	146	37	288
1972	3,317	3,330	3,219	-	111	24	298
1973	3,391	3,395	3,318	-	77	21	346
1974*	3,348	3,347	3,250	-	97	23	-
1974	3,230	3,230	3,136	-	94	23	193
1975	3,348	3,347	3,235	-	112	19	30
1976	3,389	3,381	3,295	-	86	26	52
1977	3,512	3,507	3,390	-	117	31	0
1978	3,418	3,429	3,333	-	96	20	0
1979	3,685	3,689	3,602	-	87	16	132
Canada							
1968	7,286	7,345	5,540	612	1,193	184	-
1969	7,945	7,930	5,822	643	1,465	200	-
1970	7,808	7,795	5,575	650	1,570	214	-
1971	7,670	7,586	5,576	654	1,356	301	-
1972	8,001	8,075	5,833	709	1,533	228	-
1973	8,292	8,345	6,219	779	1,347	175	-
1974*	9,023	9,070	6,567	837	1,666	132	-
1974	8,662	8,706	6,304	804	1,598	130	-
1975	6,966	7,010	4,979	784	1,247	86	-
1976	8,088	7,902	5,620	803	1,429	271	-
1977	8,154	8,169	5,751	824	1,594	256	-
1978	8,841	8,913	6,443	924	1,546	184	-
1979	8,756	8,780	6,372	971	1,437	162	-
North America							
1968	10,048	10,117	8,211	612	1,294	208	258
1969	10,995	10,981	8,767	643	1,571	224	266
1970	10,950	10,932	8,583	650	1,698	244	286
1971	10,823	10,732	8,576	654	1,502	338	288
1972	11,318	11,405	9,052	709	1,644	252	298
1973	11,683	11,740	9,537	779	1,424	196	346
1974*	12,371	12,417	9,817	837	1,763	155	-
1974	11,892	11,936	9,440	804	1,692	153	193
1975	10,314	10,357	8,214	784	1,359	105	30
1976	11,477	11,283	8,965	803	1,515	297	52
1977	11,666	11,676	9,141	824	1,711	287	0
1978	12,259	12,342	9,776	924	1,642	204	0
1979	12,441	12,469	9,974	971	1,524	178	132

(525) NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS STOCK - END OF YEAR	U.S. ESTIMATED NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION YEAR	U.S. ESTIMATED NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION AS REPORTED	U.S. ESTIMATED NEWSPRINT CONSUMPTION 48.8 G/M^2	TONNAGE LOSS DUE TO NEWSPAPER STRIKES
575	1968	8,461	7,932	168
634	1969	8,940	8,381	52
680	1970	8,805	8,271	72
639	1971	8,923	8,390	94
493	1972	9,568	9,016	6
547	1973	9,792	9,249	15
780				
750	1974	9,330	9,164	25
666	1975	8,395	8,321	6
835	1976	8,719	8,688	0
722	1977	9,279	9,279	5
660	1978	9,864	9,868	130
628	1979	10,197	10,190	3

UNITED STATES NEWSPAPERS

YEAR	ADVER. % OF TOTAL PAGES	CIRCULATIONS U.S. HOUSEHOLDS (000's)	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) DAILY	NEWSPAPER CIRCULATIONS (MILLIONS) SUNDAY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD DAILY	CIRCULATIONS PER HOUSEHOLD SUNDAY
1960	N	52,799	58.9	47.7	1.12	0.90
1961	A O	53,557	59.3	48.2	1.11	0.90
1962	V T	54,764	59.9	48.9	1.09	0.89
1963	A	55,270	58.9	46.8	1.07	0.85
1964	I	56,149	60.4	48.4	1.08	0.86
1965	L	57,436	60.4	48.6	1.05	0.85
1966	A	58,406	61.4	49.3	1.05	0.84
1967	B	59,236	61.6	49.2	1.04	0.83
1968	L	60,813	62.0	49.5	1.02	0.81
1969	E	62,214	62.0	49.7	1.00	0.80
1970	61.5	63,401	62.1	49.2	0.98	0.78
1971	62.6	64,778	62.2	49.7	0.96	0.77
1972	64.4	66,676	62.5	50.0	0.94	0.75
1973	65.5	68,251	63.1	51.7	0.92	0.76
1974	65.6	69,859	61.9	51.7	0.89	0.74
1975	63.7	71,120	60.7	51.1	0.85	0.72
1976	63.5	72,867	61.0	51.6	0.84	0.71
1977	63.1	74,142	61.5	52.4	0.83	0.71
1978	63.4	76,030	62.0	54.0	0.82	0.71
1979	63.7	77,330	62.2P	54.4P	0.80	0.70

*Adjusted to 1973 basis weights.

P - Preliminary.
Source: Media Records, Department of Commerce and Editor and Publisher

FORECASTS OF U.S. ECONOMY

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT

(Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars)

SOURCE	1980				1981				ANNUAL*	
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1980	1981
Merrill Lynch Economics - October, 1980 Based on Rev. (second) 2nd qtr. data (1,408.6) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,444.7 + 1.2	1,408.6 - 9.6	1,413.2 + 1.3	1,408.8 - 1.2	1,416.4 + 2.2	1,434.9 + 5.3	1,451.5 + 4.7	1,467.6 + 4.5	1,418.8 - 0.9	1,442.6 + 1.7
The Conference Board - September, 1980 Based on Rev. (second) 2nd qtr. data (1,408.6) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,444.7 + 1.2	1,408.6 - 9.6	1,404.2 - 1.2	1,409.5 + 1.5	1,421.8 + 3.5	1,421.9 + 0.0	1,428.8 + 2.0	1,443.0 + 4.0	1,417.5 - 1.0	1,428.9 + 0.8
Chase Econometric September, 1980 Based on Rev. (second) 2nd qtr. data (1,408.6) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,444.7 + 1.2	1,408.6 - 9.6	1,405.7 - 0.8	1,401.1 - 1.3	1,406.5 + 1.6	1.416.4 + 2.8	1,429.9 + 3.9	1,444.1 + 4.0	1,415.0 - 1.2	1,426.2 + 0.7
Copeland Economics - September, 1980 Based on Rev. (second) 2nd qtr. data (1,408.6) % Change from next preceding quarter**	1,444.7 + 1.2	1,408.6 - 9.6	1,401.0 - 2.0	1,395.0 - 1.7	1,402.0 + 2.0	1,416.0 + 4.1	1,436.0 + 5.8	1,465.0 + 8.3	1,412.0 - 1.4	1,429.0 + 1.2

Billions of Constant (1972) Dollars
Annual GNP for - 1977 - 1,340.5
Annual GNP for - 1978 - 1,399.2
Annual GNP for - 1979 - 1,431.6

3rd Qtr. Pre data = 1,412.1

** - The Percent Change was multiplied by 4
* - % Change from previous year.

	FRB INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (1967=100)									
Merrill Lynch Economics - October, 1980 Based on 2nd qtr. data (144.6) % Change from next preceding quarter**	152.5 - 0.0	144.6 - 19.2	140.9 - 9.9	140.4 - 1.2	143.2 + 8.1	148.2 + 14.9	152.5 +12.1	156.0 + 9.3	144.6 - 5.2	150.0 + 3.7

ADVERTISING EXPENDITURES-BY MEDIA-PERCENT OF TOTAL

	PRINT						OTHER		
YEAR	News-papers	Maga-zines	Busi-ness	Dir. Mail	Out-door	Total Print	T.V.	Radio	All Other*
1950	36.3	8.4	4.4	14.1	2.5	65.7	3.0	10.6	20.7
1960	30.8	7.6	5.1	15.3	1.7	60.5	13.6	5.8	20.1
1965	29.0	7.6	4.4	15.2	1.2	57.4	16.5	6.0	20.1
1970	29.2	6.6	3.8	14.1	1.2	54.9	18.4	6.7	20.0
1971	29.9	6.6	3.5	14.8	1.2	56.0	17.0	7.0	20.0
1972	30.1	6.2	3.3	14.7	1.2	55.5	17.6	6.9	20.0
1973	30.2	5.8	3.4	14.7	1.2	55.3	17.8	6.9	20.0
1974	29.8	5.6	3.4	15.1	1.2	55.1	18.1	6.8	20.0
1975	30.0	5.2	3.3	14.6	1.2	54.3	18.7	7.0	20.0
1976	29.4	5.3	3.1	14.2	1.1	53.1	20.0	6.9	20.0
1977	29.4	5.7	3.2	13.6	1.1	53.0	20.1	6.9	20.0
1978	28.9	5.9	3.2	13.6	1.1	52.7	20.4	6.9	20.0
1979	29.3	5.9	3.2	13.3	1.1	52.8	20.4	6.8	20.0

* - Including Farm Publications

CAPACITY INFORMATION - NEWSPRINT

ANNUAL CAPACITY

(In thousands of metric tons)

Year	United States (1)	Canada (2)	Total	
			Tons	% Change
1966	2,309	8.054	10,363	-
1967	2,580	8,431	11,011	+ 6.3
1968	2,881	8,759	11,640	+ 5.7
1969	3,061	8,777	11,838	+ 1.7
1970	3,205	8,931	12,136	+ 2.5
1971	3,304	9,290	12,594	+ 3.8
1972	3,351	9,344	12,695	+ 0.8
1973	3,465	9,378	12,843	+ 1.2
1974	3,528	9,502	13,030	+ 1.5
	REVISED CAPACITY DUE TO CHANGES IN G/M^2 (3)			
1974	3,377	9,106	12,483	-
1975	3,582	9,222	12,804	+ 2.6
1975	3,582	Revised 8,974(4)	12,556	-
1976	3,641	9,000	12,641	+ 0.7
1977	3,691	8,983	12,674	+ 0.3
1978	3,710R	8,982R	12,692R	+ 0.1
1979	3,776R	9,063R	12,839R	+ 1.2
1980	4,258R	9,160R	13,418R	+ 4.5
1981	4,679R	9,450P	14,129P	+ 5.3
1982	4,964R	10,000P	14,964P	+ 5.9
1983	4,980R	10,200P	15,180P	+ 1.4

NOTE: Annual Capacity, includes changes in capacity only for the portion of the year in which they are actually effective.

(1) Source: A.P.I. Capacity Survey Issued December, 1979, plus subsequent revisions reflecting changes announced since that time.

(2) Source: CPPA. P - Preliminary

(3) In 1974 a number of newsprint producers reduced the grams per square meter (g/m^2) of newsprint from 52 to 48.8. A given area of printing surface of 48.8 g/m^2 paper weighs less than the same area of 52 g/m^2 paper. The capacity figures for 1974 have been shown on both the old and new basis to provide a continuity of data.

(4) Canadian capacity has been revised beginning with 1975 to include downtime of less than twenty-four hours in operating hours. Previously, downtime of less than eight hours was included in operating hours. This extra line of information provides a "bridge" between the old method and the new method of calculating Canadian capacity.

Entries for 1983 include residual capacities from the expansion projects that become effective during 1982.

ANNOUNCED CAPACITY INCREASES

(In metric tons)

Company	Mill	Date	Annual Capacity		
			Newsprint	Other	Total
U.S. Mills					
1980					
Bear Island	Doswell, VA	Early '80	159,000	-	159,000
Boise Southern	DeRidder, LA	April '80	172,000	-	172,000
1981					
Garden State	Pomona, CA	Mid '81	34,000	-	34,000
North Pacific	Longview, WA	2nd qtr.'81	190,000	-	190,000
Publishers	Newberg, OR	Early '81	190,000	-	190,000
St. Regis	Houston, TX	Mid '81	130,000	-	130,000
Canadian Mills					
1980					
Abitibi-Price	Kenogami, QUE	Early '80	30,000	-	30,000
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '80	40,000	-	40,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1980	30,000	-	30,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Mid '80	16,000	-	16,000
Kruger	Three Rivers, QUE	Late '80	18,000	-	18,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Port Alberni, BC	1980	50,000	-	50,000
1981					
Abitibi-Price	Stephenville, NFLD	1st qtr.'81	145,000	-	145,000
Canadian Int.	Gatineau, QUE	Late '81	30,000	-	30,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Port Alfred, QUE	1981	20,000	-	20,000
Kruger	Bromptonville, QUE	Early '81	25,000	-	25,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	1981	23,000	-	23,000
MacMillan Bloedel	Powell River, BC	Early '81	160,000	-	160,000
1982					
Abitibi-Price	Iroquois Falls, ONT	Mid '82	18,000	-	18,000
British Columbia	Crofton, BC	Early '82	175,000	-	175,000
Canadian Int.	Dalhousie, NB	Mid '82	100,000	-	100,000
Consolidated-Bathurst	Belgo, QUE	1982	40,000	-	40,000
Crown	Elk Falls, BC	Early '82	180,006	-	180,000
Donohue-Normick	Amos, QUE	1982	150,000	-	150,000
Ontario	Thorold, ONT	1982	26,000	64,000(5)	90,000

* Machine transfer from other grades and improvements

(5) Groundwood Specialties

EXPORTS OF NEWSPRINT
(In Metric Tons)

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	FROM THE UNITED STATES 6 Mos. 1979	FROM THE UNITED STATES 6 Mos. 1980	FROM CANADA 6 Mos. 1979	FROM CANADA 6 Mos. 1980	FROM SCANDINAVIA (2) 6 Mos. 1979	FROM SCANDINAVIA (2) 6 Mos. 1980
UNITED STATES	--	--	3,126,522	3,274,703	64,629	34,109
CANADA	1,604	836	--	--	6	--
LATIN AMERICA	12,398	16,595	195,569	257,564	49,616	57,728
Mexico	1,164	1,903	61	33,403	553	5,421
Central America & Carib.	2,123	3,510	30,387	36,207	128	44
Colombia	186	654	24,465	24,451	3,614	3,369
Venezuela	8,287	9,094	48,475	45,476	4,675	5,848
Peru	1	1,350	--	--	--	--
Brazil	606	62	47,351	63,995	27,199	21,963
Uruguay	--	--	2,097	3,887	1,026	1,898
Argentina	--	--	13,348	22,422	11,981	17,891
Puerto Rico	--	--	21,086	13,920	--	--
Other	31	22	8,299	13,803	440	1,294
EUROPE	4,697	9,223	293,647	319,705	995,995	1,028,826
Denmark	--	1	--	--	56,763	50,386
United Kingdom	286	1,496	186,427	234,884	298,637	272,293
Ireland	9	1	3,710	3,702	20,069	20,174
Netherlands	9	21	49,027	29,291	115,146	125,014
Belgium	37	2	4,349	3,482	30,705	39,914
France	4,146	7,401	935	1,963	131,749	137,359
West Germany	23	8	42,902	38,235	245,060	278,166
Switzerland	--	--	--	--	11,508	7,484
U.S.S.R.	--	--	--	--	8,389	8,761
Spain inc. Canary Islands	81	89	5,861	4,879	13,788	24,852
Portugal	100	204	--	--	16,114	17,148
Greece	2	--	436	--	17,239	16,272
Other (1)	4	--	--	3,269	30,828	31,003
ASIA	5,008	30,971	152,854	128,696	179,419	152,290
Israel	2	2	--	--	18,300	13,845
India, Sri Lanka & Pakistan	--	--	73,441	69,528	32,941	40,151
Thailand	--	133	690	750	36,860	22,753
South Vietnam	--	--	--	--	304	--
Malaysia	--	35	3,741	11,137	6,015	4,168
Singapore	--	74	6,250	6,428	7,380	8,283
Indonesia	3,688	2,128	4,386	998	13,807	11,820
Philippine Rep.	93	--	--	--	2,293	1,495
Korea	25	--	19	19	--	--
Hong Kong	488	4	11,167	7,983	8,694	4,556
Japan	118	28,493	9,915	8,280	--	--
Other	594	102	43,225	23,573	52,825	45,219
AUSTRALIA & OCEANIA	55	262	59,067	94,545	37,433	29,378
Australia	50	262	58,234	94,155	37,433	29,378
Other	5	--	833	390	--	--
AFRICA	27	19	80	376	40,035	46,242
Algeria	--	19	--	--	7,009	6,828
Egypt	--	--	--	305	15,477	14,865
Nigeria	--	--	--	--	4,219	10,349
Rep. of South Africa	--	--	--	--	--	10
Other	27	--	80	71	13,330	14,190
TOTAL	23,789	57,906	3,827,739	4,075,714	1,367,133	1,348,573

(1) Includes Communist Areas
(2) Includes Finland, Norway & Sweden

Source: Bureau of Census

Source: Statistics Canada

Source: Scannews

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Greenland	--	125